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BREAK IMMINENT BETWEEN AUSTRIA AND UNITED STATES

Unofficial Advices Received by Washington Indicate American Demands About the Ancona Won't Be Met.

SITUATION ASSUMING ASPECT OF A CRISIS

Teutonic Diplomatic Circles in Washington Said to Be Prepared for Severance of Diplomatic Relations.

Washington, December 28.—Unofficial advices received here today conformed with intimations from abroad that Austria's forthcoming reply to the Ancona note will fail to meet the demands of the United States, and Teutonic diplomatic circles here were authoritatively represented as being prepared for a break in diplomatic relations between the two countries.

Various developments, it was agreed, might avoid such an eventuality, but none of the counter proposals which it has been intimated the Vienna foreign office might advance have been regarded so far as coming within Secretary Lansing's renewal of the demands for disavowal, reparation and punishment of the submarine commander who sunk the Ancona with the loss of more than a dozen American lives.

Aspects of a Crisis.

Now that the situation, after being dormant nearly two weeks, is again beginning to take on the aspects of a crisis, the status of the negotiations of the United States over submarine warfare against merchantmen, not with Austria alone, but with the Teutonic powers as allies, is commanding attention.

Although Germany has given the United States assurances that she will conform to the principle of visit and search before attack, the practices against which the United States so vigorously contended are being carried on now by her ally, Austria, and it has been charged that the Austrian submarines are in some instances furnished by Germany and in others are officered and manned by the German navy. Such a situation, it is being pointed out, amounts to practically a defeat of the submarine negotiations with Germany. Furthermore, the impasse in the Lusitania negotiations becomes a factor in the situation.

It is admitted that the United States scarcely can request Austria to conduct submarine warfare in its relation to the rights of neutrals in a manner different from that permitted to Germany.

Meaning of Word "Liner."

Germany has admitted her obligation not to sink liners without giving warning and making provision for the safety of passengers and crew providing there was no resistance. So far no agreement has been reached as to the exact meaning of the word liners. The Germans hold it applicable to vessels carrying passengers alone and plying between certain ports on regular schedules. The state department's view has been that the terms include any merchant ship belonging to a regular steamship line, but no issue has been made of the differing interpretations because Germany has undertaken to use such precautions as may be consistent with the use of the submarine, to warn merchantmen and to insure the safety of the passengers and crew, provided these are not a part of the military establishment of the enemy.

The demand of the United States upon Austria in connection with the Ancona case is broader than any German admission, being based upon the contention that international law, The Hague conventions and the declaration of London all require warning before sinking a vessel and insurance of the safety of the passengers and crew, even when the vessel is of belligerent ownership and where she does not comply with German ideas of the term liner.

No Admission By Austria.

The Austrian government has not admitted any such obligations and recent events in the Mediterranean indicate that her submarine commanders are sinking merchantmen without warning and without inquiry as to whether they carry neutral passengers. So far no explanation beyond that of military necessity has been offered for this violation of what the state department regards as the elementary principles of international law and of humane warfare.

Unless the expected note from that government should amount to a sudden and total severance of diplomatic relations, it is expected in official quarters that the Austrian foreign office will seek to justify its methods, perhaps adopting one of the original German contentions in the Lusitania case, that the appearance of the submarine as a weapon of war has introduced new problems and not only justified, but demanded a departure from the old rules.

RUPTURE COMING, ACCORDING TO PARIS.

Paris, December 28.—Unconfirmed advices from Vienna as published by The Petit Journal say the impression prevails in Austro-Hungarian governmental circles that the forthcoming reply to the second American note regarding the Ancona incident will bring about a diplomatic rupture between the two nations.

The Petit Journal's dispatch, forwarded from Geneva, says:

"According to advices from Vienna the Austro-Hungarian answer to the American note was the subject of a long discussion Sunday night between Premier Tissa, of Hungary, and the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, Baron von Burian. The foreign minister also conferred with Dr. C. T. Dumba, former Austro-Hungarian ambassador at Washington.

"Although no definite decision has yet been reached, the impression in governmental circles is that the answer will bring about a diplomatic rupture."

Terminal Station No Longer Boasts Of "Lovers' Lane"

Dan Cupid Departs From Accustomed Haunts, Bringing Sorrow to Lovers--Desk Is Moved.

Cupid has picked up his baggage and departed from the Terminal station, where lovers are now taboo.

Ardent couples who steal into the shadowy recesses of the great waiting room have been put under the scrutiny of the vigilant matron, Mrs. J. W. Payne, whose desk now occupies a spot overlooking the choicest retreat of couples seeking seclusion.

Heretofore the two back rows of seats in the waiting room, which faced the dining room entrance, formed an ideal trysting place. It is seldom persons pass the spot during the late afternoon hours or early night when traffic is at a low ebb, and the matron is attending to duties in the woman's ward. Here lovers could nestle without disturbance.

The high backs of the seats hid them from the view of the remainder of the place. The matron, even when on duty at her desk, was situated at a point where she had to do considerable walking in order to command a view of what Terminal attaches called "lovers' lane."

Tuesday Mrs. Payne moved her desk to a spot adjoining the entrance to the cafe, where it directly faces the two long rows.

Of course, however, if his disciples are content to subject their arts to her censorship, Cupid may come back any time he pleases.

SINGLE "SLACKERS" WORRYING BRITAIN

Reported Cabinet Has Decided on Modified Conscription to Get Unmarried Men for Army if Needful.

London, December 29.—It is stated on excellent authority that the cabinet has virtually decided upon a modified form of conscription bill be to be introduced in the house of commons next week, giving the government the necessary power, should it be found needful, to bring in single men and preserve Premier Asquith's pledge to married men.

The line of policy upon which a majority of the ministers agree, indicating that some, at least, of the anti-conscriptionists section of the cabinet so far waved their principle as to consent to a modified application of force, is as follows:

First, that the premier's pledge to married men is binding on the whole government.

Second, that the pledge should be redeemed forthwith.

Third, that the principle of compulsion should be accepted.

Fourth, that the premier should announce this policy at the earliest opportunity after the reassembling of parliament.

It is believed that the actual formal resolution on the new policy has been postponed until another meeting of the cabinet, on Thursday, and that in the short interval Mr. Asquith will be employed in asserting the strongest influences to avert disruption of his cabinet. It is still quite possible that a crisis may be avoided.

Not Time for Compulsion.

There is a considerable body of opinion which believes that the time has not yet arrived to go to the extreme length of putting wholesale compulsion into effect. This opinion feels that some intermediate step is yet possible; that the Derby scheme has only fallen slightly short and that perhaps a recanvass or another appeal might bring in a considerable part of the unmarried slackers.

The supporters of the voluntary system are emphatic in declining to abandon it until some means have been taken to insure that the Derby scheme cannot be made a success.

With the reopening of parliament only a week distant there was another protracted session of the cabinet today on the question of conscription—or compulsion, as it is more politely called in England.

Sensational press reports of the cabinet situation aroused such an unusual public interest in today's assembling that the police were forced repeatedly to clear Downing street of the crowds.

In the absence of any official statements, it is difficult to say exactly how serious is the present situation of the cabinet. The members certainly maintain the appearance of outward calm, which would hint that the difficulty is more a matter of deciding on methods and details than a radical difference on basic principles.

Press Divided Into Groups.

The press has again divided itself into two groups, which may most readily be defined in the American phrase as "for" and "against" the government. The latter group insists that the cabinet is hopelessly divided and must surely split on the situation created by the results of the Derby scheme, while the former group declares that the alleged crisis is largely the product of excited agitation, led by the Northcliffe press, and that such differences as exist in the cabinet are still capable of being merged into a common policy if the task is not made impossible by outside agitators.

The truth probably lies somewhere in the middle ground between these two views. It is admitted that difficulties have arisen in connection with the Derby figures—that in certain parts of the country single men have not enrolled in such numbers as would warrant an impartial tribunal in declaring that only a neglible percentage remain outside. It may be confidently stated that the cabinet as a whole accept this fact.

Premier Asquith's pledge, as stated specifically in an open letter to Earl Derby stands good, and the cabinet is agreed it must be fulfilled in the letter and the spirit. For the governgent knows full well that the premier's unequivocal pledge to the married men was the sole reason for the wholesale response of the married men. Up to the moment of that declaration the married men held back, but as soon as Mr. Asquith's pledge was given they stepped forward in numbers which were a surprise even to Lord Derby.

AMERICAN PRESS GIVEN A SCORING BY CAPT. BOY-ED

Prior to Sailing, Kaiser's Recalled Attache Says, "We Germans Do Not Understand What You Call Your 'Free Press.'"

BOY-ED DEFENDS ACTS IN THE UNITED STATES

He Predicts That the Newspapers in the United States Will Eventually Be Curbed as They Are in Germany.

New York, December 28.—Three men who figure prominently in the diplomatic relations of the United States have cabins on the Holland-America line steamship Rotterdam, leaving here today for Rotterdam by way of Falmouth, England. They are:

Colonel E. M. House, friend and confidential adviser of President Wilson, who goes to Europe at the request of the president.

Brand Whitlock, United States minister to Belgium, who is returning to his post at Brussels after a vacation spent with his family at Toledo, Ohio.

Captain Karl Boy-Ed, formerly naval attache of the German embassy at Washington, who was recalled by the German emperor at the request of the United States government because of "improper activities in naval matters."

Boy-Ed and German Plots.

Captain Karl Boy-Ed was naval attache of the German embassy at Washington for about four years. His name was first mentioned in connection with alleged German plots in this country, when Richard P. Stegler, who was arrested here last February for passport frauds, told the federal authorities that Boy-Ed asked him to go to England and locate a fleet of British dreadnaughts. Captain Boy-Ed denied knowing anything about the passport fraud or that he sent Stegler to England as a spy.

During the trial of Karl Buenz here about a month ago on charges of conspiracy to defraud the United States through false manifests issued to steamers sent with supplies to German warships, counsel for the defendants admitted that the German government expended more than $2,000,000 here directly after the beginning of the war in sending out supply ships and that Captain Boy-Ed supervised some of the expenditure.

Secretary Lansing requested his recall on December 3. The German emperor on December 10 recalled both Captian Boy-Ed and Franz von Papen, the German military attache.

Statement by Boy-Ed.

Captain Boy-Ed issued the following statement just before sailing:

"Before this terrific war broke out I had the great fortune of having served almost two and a half years for my emperor as naval attache to the German embassy at Washington. Those years belong not only to the most interesting, but also to the most pleasant in my life. I am particularly thankful for the rare comradeship of the American navy that I have been permitted to enjoy, due to the kindness of the gallant and amiable officers.

"The great and cordial hospitality which is so proverbial for Americans, and which was extended also to me from the very first day of my arrival in the United States I can never forget.

"Of course, I refrain at the hour of my departure from again refuting all the stories which were told about in the American papers and which mostly—like the silly Huerta tale—were invented by The Providence Journal.

"This paper, with its British-born Mr. Rathom, has done its utmost to create an almost hysterical suspicion of spies throughout the country in order to prejudice public opinion against Germany.

"We Germans do not understand what you call your 'free press.' Our laws allow the fullest personal liberty consistent with the welfare of the state. But we do not permit the diplomatic representatives of friendly governments to be insulted ad libitum or our government to be embarrassed in its dealings with other nations, nor men's reputations to be wantonly sacrificed by the wild and reckless utterances of an irresponsible press like The Providence Journal. And I venture to predict that in sheer self-defense you will be forced to take like measures, notwithstanding the dangerous power of your press.

Boy-Ed Defends Acts.

"While our enemies have been and are being supplied from this country with all forms of death-dealing munitions of war, without which they would have long since been overcome, I have been denounced from one end of the country to the other for having been concerned at the outset of the war in chartering ships to supply our cruisers at sea with coal and food as though it were a crime instead of being, as it is, and has been considered by your courts, to be a strictly lawful act. The ships that brought coal, provisions and supplies from Hongkong to Admiral Dewey's fleet during the Spanish-American war in 1898 were cleared for Macao and not for the American warships at sea and in their clearance papers it was stated that the cargo consisted of scrap iron.

"In this connection I may cite one of the leading American newspapers which said on December 5 in regard to the recall of my colleague, Captain von Papen, and myself: 'It will be worth considerable to us if we keep our sense of proportion working and do not permit prejudice to shut out our perspective.'

"It is my heartfelt hope that the United States and Germany, which have so many common interests, will always maintain their friendly relations; that peace will come soon and that the abatement of passion will enable all Americans to have for Germany and Germans the same good will as formerly.

"I say goodby to all my personal friends in this country, thanking them for the innumerable evidences of friendship I have received at their hands, and express my gratitude to those who have remained impartial and

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Roberts Spent His Money for Gifts; Had None for Fine

Defendant, Who Was Most "Too Drunk to Navigate," Must Stay Sober Until Next Christmas.

Because he stated to Recorder Johnson, in police matinee Tuesday afternoon, that he could not pay a fine as he had spent all his money on Christmas presents for his children, W. C. Roberts, who claimed that he was an employee of the Seaboard Air Line railroad, was released. He promised he wouldn't get drunk until next Christmas.

Roberts had been arrested by Officer Gordon on Whitehall street, near Trinity avenue, Sunday. Gordon stated that Roberts was almost too drunk to navigate or to know just where he wanted to navigate.

"I told him to go home once," said the officer, "but he seemed to think that home was in the direction of the nearest saloon, so I locked him up."

"Have you got any money?" questioned the judge.

"Not a cent, judge; I spent all I had on Christmas presents for my children," replied Roberts.

"Well, that is one good thing in your favor," replied the recorder. "If you will go on home to your children now and stay sober until next Christmas, I will let you off this time, but remember, don't come down here any more."

With profuse thanks Roberts hurried from the courtroom.

PERJURY IS CHARGED TO WARDEN OSBORNE

Reform Head of Sing Sing Prison Is Twice Indicted. "Frame Up" of Corrupt Politicians, Says Osborne.

White Plains, N. Y., December 28.—Two indictments containing seven counts were today returned against Thomas Mott Osborne, warden of Sing Sing, by the Westchester county grand jury, which has been investigating conditions in the prison.

One indictment charged the warden with having committed perjury in his testimony at the recent inquiry conducted by Dr. Rudolph Diedling, of the state prison commission. The other indictment contained six counts.

The first count charged that Osborne absented himself from the prison. The second embraced allegations that the warden failed to perform the duties imposed upon him; that he failed to prevent felonies in the prison and that he failed to report immorality among the prisoners.

The third count charged the warden with permitting convicts to go into the death house to visit Charles Becker. The fourth count charged Osborne with failure to maintain proper discipline and the fifth alleged that he permitted fights between convicts. The sixth count contains allegations against the moral character of the warden in his relations with prisoners.

Osborne to Be Removed.

Albany, N. Y., December 28.—Thomas Mott Osborne, millionaire warden of Sing Sing prison, will be removed from office as soon as a successor can be named formally under the law. This action probably will be taken tomorrow, Juhn B. Riley, state superintendent of prisons, said today, after he had learned of the specifications in the indictment returned against the Sing Sing executive by the Westchester county grand jury. "No man who is under indictment should continue in the office of warden," Superintendent Riley said, "and as soon as a successor can be found he will be appointed."

Governor Whitman's comment was limited to a brief typewritten statement, which read:

"From the first I have believed the charges against Mr. Osborne's personal character entirely unfounded and I am astonished at the action of the grand jury. But of course I know nothing whatever of the evidence which was presented to that body."

Osborne was appointed warden of Sing Sing in the latter part of November, 1914, near the close of Governor Glynn's administration. A short time previously he gained considerable publicity by spending a week at Auburn prison, where, as a part of his study of penology, he lived the life of a convict and was known as "Tom Brown."

"Frame-Up," Says Osborne.

New York, December 28.—Warden Thomas Mott Osborne, of Sing Sing prison, arrived here shortly before 10 o'clock tonight, and issued the following statement regarding his indictment:

"At a meeting in Yonkers some weeks ago I spoke of the grand jury performance at White Plains as not an investigation, but a conspiracy. The result has justified my assertion.

"Because I have run Sing Sing prison with business honesty and efficiency I have made myself hated by the corrupt political element that has long utilized the prison for their own foul purposes.

"Because I have reduced vice and disorder to a minimum within the prison I have incurred the hatred of the few prisoners who have long enjoyed special privileges at the expense of their fellows.

"Because I have served the state to the best of my ability the very machinery of the law intended for the protection of society has been prostituted from its high purpose to serve the vilest end by means equally vile.

"I have no fear of the result. No jury will be blind enough, no court unfair enough to carry this conspiracy to ultimate success. The real question is 'what do the people of New York state propose to do about it?'"

Before leaving Osining earlier in the evening Warden Osborne said he called the prisoners together in the mess hall at the prison and announced to them that he had been indicted.

"There was no demonstration on the part of the men," he added, "as many of them no doubt were glad to hear the news."

The warden was asked whether he would give bail.

"No," he said. "I will not. I am not going to spend my good money for that."

The impression prevailed that the warden would go to jail and there await the date of his trial rather than furnish bail for his release.

GRAND JURY PUTS STAMP OF PLOTTER ON CONGRESSMAN

Representative Frank Buchanan, of Illinois, and Seven Other Men Indicted for Conspiring to Cause Strikes in Munitions Plants.

INDICTED MEN MEMBERS OF LABOR PEACE COUNCIL

Ex-Congressman Fowler, of Illinois; Ex-Attorney General Monnett, of Ohio; Franz von Rintelen and David Lamar Are Among Those Indicted.

New York, December 28.—Eight men, including a congressman, a former congressman and a former attorney general of Ohio were indicted today by a federal grand jury on a charge of conspiring to foment strikes in American munition factories as part of a campaign, financed by the German government, to check the exportation of munitions to the entente allies.

The men indicted were Congressman Frank Buchanan, of Illinois; former Congressman H. Robert Fowler, of Illinois; Frank S. Monnett, former attorney general of Ohio; H. B. Martin, Herman Schultels, Franz von Rintelen, David Lamar and Jacob C. Taylor. All of the men except Von Rintelen and Lamar are officers or former officers of Labor's National Peace council. The government charges that this organization was financed by Franz von Rintelen, a German agent, to instigate strikes in munition plants, while ostensibly working in the interests of the international peace.

No Warrants Issued.

Von Rintelen is at preesnt a prisoner of war in England. Lamar, known as the "Wolf of Wall Street," is said to have been his paymaster. It is said that Lamar benefited personally to the extent of $400,000.

No warrants were issued for the arrest of any of the indicted men, as District Attorney H. Snowden Marshall stated that he had reason to believe most of the defendants would appear voluntarily to enter pleas.

None of the indicted men reside in New York. The majority are either in Chicago or Washington and are expected to appear before United States commissioners in those cities to give bonds for their appearance in court here.

The indictment of Monnett was the sensation of the grand jury proceedings. The bills against his seven codefendants had been predicted for several weeks, but Monnett's name had never been mentioned.

According to federal officials, Monnett, Fowler, Buchanan and Lamar were indicted as the leaders in the alleged conspiracy. Von Rintelen was the financier and Lamar the paymaster, while Schulteis, Martin and Taylor are accused of doing the actual work of attempting to bribe union leaders. Schulteis and Martin are well-known as lobbyists. Both were connected with the Anti-Trust league and are said to have been business associates of Lamar. Taylor is a labor leader in New Jersey.

Sketch of the Peace Council.

Labor's National Peace council was organized in May of this year, after the arrival in this country on April 3 of Franz von Rintelen. He apparently commanded unlimited funds, having $500,000 to his credit in one New York bank. According to federal officials, his mission was not merely to start propaganda against the exportation of munitions to the allies, but also to stir up trouble between this country and Mexico. In the latter respect, it is said his efforts were a failure from the start.

The first important meeting of the peace council, which was ostensibly organized to promote the cause of international peace, was held in Washington in June. Representative Buchanan was elected president; Fowler, general counsel, and Monnett was named a member of the commitee on resolutions.

Buchanan resigned July 31 and was succeeded by Jacob C. Taylor, a leader labor union official of New Jersey.

Von Rintelen's Work.

Von Rintelen, according to secret service agents, finally discovered that he was spending his money without result. Some strikes were called, but they failed to have any important effect on the exportation of munitions. The German agent decided to leave the country. He first endeavored, by the aid of Andrew D. Meloy, an American mining promoter, to secure an American passport. Failing in this, he sailed under a Swiss passport, using the name of Edward V. Gasche. Meloy was subsequently arrested and turned state's evidence.

When Von Rintelen was taken prisoner by the British a mass of documents were also seized and turned over to the American authorities. Acting on the information obtained from these papers an investigation was started into the activities of the peace council. The grand jury first returned indictments against Rintelen and Meloy in the passport case. A sealed indictment, the contents of which have never been known, was handed down. The indictments today are the final results of the grand jury's work, which has lasted four months.

Assistant United States Attorney Sarfaty, who conducted the proceedings before the grand jury, declared today that while the jurors had been discharged, the investigation was by no means ended and would in all probability be taken up by subsequent grand juries.

BUCHANAN TALKS OF HIS INDICTMENT.

Washington, December 28.—When Representative Buchanan heard of his indictment in New York today on charges in connection with the activities of laobr's national peace council, he declared that if he enjoyed any congressional immunity from arrest he intended to insist upon it, that he might be free to press his impeachment charges against United States Attorney Marshall, now pending in the house judiciary committee.

"I don't know what they charge me

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Released on Parole From Insane Asylum Woman Gets Married

Mrs. Ida von Claussen, Who Threatened to Sue Theodore Roosevelt, Figures in New Sensation.

New York, December 28.—Mrs. Ida von Claussen, who last Friday was released on parole from the Middletown state hospital for the insane, was married today to Francis Albert Dona, of Philadelphia.

Since her release from the Middletown asylum Mrs. von Claussen had been living with her brother, Matthew P. Claussen. Her marriage was a surprise to him, and Mr. Claussen at once communicated with the district attorney in a vain effort to have Mrs. von Claussen arrested for violating her parole.

Mrs. von Claussen first came into prominence some years ago by threatening to bring suit against the then President Roosevelt for an alleged interference with some of her social ambitions abroad. About a year ago she was committed to Matteawan for writing threatening letters, after a period spent under observation in Bellevue hospital. She was adjudged competent by a sheriff's jury, but later recommitted to the asylum. She was transferred several months ago to the institution at Middletown.

ATLANTA OFFERED SPLENDID SINGERS AND SUPERB OPERAS

Tentative List Is Presented to Directors of the Atlanta Music Festival Association Following a Conference in New York.

The tentative list of operas and opera singers of the Metropolitan Opera company, which was presented to a meeting of the directors of the Atlanta Music Festival association yesterday by Colonel W. L. Peel, president of the association, and H. M. Atkinson, one of the directors, from which Atlanta may select her operas and singers for the 1916 season, assure that next year Atlanta is to have the most brilliant week of her operatic history.

The date has been fixed for the week of April 24.

Colonel Peel and Mr. Atkinson recently returned from New York, where they conferred with officials and principals of the Metropolitan Opera company. The list of operas and singers submitted to the directors Tuesday is the result of conferences held in New York.

Twelve Operas Submitted.

The Metropolitan people have submitted to Atlanta twelve superb operas—the pick of the New York season—from which she may choose the seven operas for next April. These include six operas which have been produced in Atlanta in seasons past and six which have never before been heard here. They are as follows:

New—Samson and Delilah," "Martha," "The Meistersinger," "Iris," "Boris Godunoff" and "The Barber of Seville."

Old—"Madame Butterfly," "La Tosca," "La Boheme," "Aida," Massenet's "Manon" and "Manon Lescaut."

All of the old operas are, of course, familiar to Atlanta opera lovers.

Some Atlantans, too, of course, have seen some of the operas which may come next year to Atlanta for the first time. Many of these present very unusual and attractive qualities.

"Martha," which is one of the oldest operas, is one of the most beautiful ever produced, and its presentation this season in New York by the Metropolitan company has been received with such favor that its praise has already preceded it to Atlanta.

Should "Iris" be chosen for Atlanta, opera-goers here will have opportunity to hear Antonio Scotti, the father of opera in Atlanta, in a new and one of his best roles.

New Triumph Scored.

In "Samson and Delilah" Caruso has scored a new triumph in New York in the role of Samson, and in this Atlanta will find no small amount of interest.

"The Barber of Seville" is one of those tuneful operas which appeal to the popular taste—an opera, if you please, which one can whistle. Wagner's "The Meistersinger" will give Atlanta a sample of the other extreme.

An opera of intense interest is "Boris Godunoff," a Russian product. This has been pronounced the greatest modern opera.

As for singers, Atlanta is offered any and all of the best—old and new—that the Metropolitan Opera company affords—Caruso, Farrar, Scotti, Martinelli, Ober, Amato, De Luca, Gadski, Sembach, Goritz, Weil, Botta, Sparkes, Althouse, Didur, Barientos, Damacco, Alda, Rappold—all of them!

But about Bori, whose personal charm and wonderful singing has through two seasons carried Atlanta by storm—there is just the barest possibility that she may not be able to return in 1916. She has promised to come if she can, but since her return to New York from abroad she has not been able to sing. She landed with a very bad cold. It is her one hope, however, to be able to return to Atlanta, and, if she is able to sing in New York, she will most assuredly be here.

Old Stars Remembered.

Atlanta, of course, remembers very vividly all the old stars—Caruso, Scotti, Farrar, Alda, Martinelli, who first came here last year; Gadski, Sembach, Amato—who could forget that ever heard them!

But there are some new ones. De Luca is a new baritone who has been sustaining in New York a splendid and enviable reputation which preceded him from Europe. Maria Barientos is a Spanish coloratura of great fame, and she is said to be beautiful in keeping with her wonderful voice. She is also famous for her very high notes. Damacco is also a newcomer—a light tenor, whose voice is more than "white." He is from Italy. These and other new ones are offered to Atlanta for 1916.

And there will be, of course, the full Metropolitan company's orchestra, which is one of the most famous organizations in the world and with which Atlanta is altogether familiar and in love.

FIERCE FIGHTING IN EAST AND WEST; QUIET IN BALKANS

Russians Attack Strongly on the Dniester, and Berlin Admits Advance by French in Vosges District.

TEUTONS AND BULGARS WON'T ATTACK SALONIKI

The Germans, However, Are Said to Be Preparing for the Invasion of Egypt on a Big Scale.

London, December 28.—While there has been considerable renewal of activity at several points on both the eastern and western fronts in the past twenty-four hours, the situation in the Balkans has the most peaceful appearance in weeks. Dispatches from both Germanic and entente sources agree that the probability of an Austro-German-Bulgarian offensive against Saloniki is disappearing with the withdrawal of the Bulgarian frontier guards to purely defensive positions well behind the Greek frontier.

The Associated Press Vienna correspondent declares that the central powers have come to regard an offensive against Saloniki as a measure promising only embarrassments and no advantages. In fact the central powers are inclined to regard the huge entente force at Saloniki as safely cooped up, useless and expensive and that therefore it would be an advantage to the central powers to let it remain there.

GERMANS ADMIT FRENCH ADVANCE.

On the western front the German official communication admits a French advance on Hirzstein, but gives no details. There also has been further activity in the Vosges district with intense artillery fighting along the whole front of Hartsmanns-Weilerkopf.

Vienna reports the Russians attacking fiercely on the Dniester and in Bessarabia. The Austrian communication speaks of the Russians advancing in serried lines fifteen or sixteen deep, which the artillery broke up with huge Russian losses.

A dispatch from a German source says: "A terrible battle has been going on since Friday in Bessarabia."

The German campaign in the Near East and beyond, according to today's telegrams, is to be pushed with the utmost vigor and energy. Field Marshal von Mackensen is reported to be the leader selected for the new theater of operations and the invasion of Egypt is said to be his immediate object. Numbers of trains are reported to be conveying ammunitions and guns to Constantinople and other preparations are being pushed on a big scale.

PREPARING FOR SPRING.

From many isolated fronts come reports of preparations for spring campaigns, either in the form of a change in the location of large bodies of troops or in the building of fortifications. Along the Dvinsk and Bug lines the Germans are said to be constructing colossal fortifications equipped with heavy artillery and with machine guns and automatic rifles supplied in unlimited quantities.

The Bulgarians are reported to be busy entrenching their armies well back of the Grecian frontier, while equipment continues to arrive for the French and British at Saloniki, which in the report of General Castelnau is considered by its defenders impregnable.

A change also is noted in the Turkish dispositions at the Dardanelles, where the defenders of Gallipoli are in possession of heavier siege guns which have been better served since the Aus-

Weather Prophecy

RAIN.

Washington—Forecast:
Georgia—Rain today, colder by night; Thursday fair and colder.

Local Report.

Lowest Temperature	42
Highest Temperature	50
Mean Temperature	46
Normal Temperature	43
Rainfall in past 24 hours, ins.	1.36
Excess since first of month, ins.	2.28
Excess since January 1, ins.	.09

Reports From Various Stations.

STATIONS and State of WEATHER.	Temperature. 7 p. m.	Temperature. High.	Rain 24 h'rs Inches
ATLANTA, rain	50	50	1.36
Birmingham, rain	54	56	1.30
Boston, cloudy	26	42	.22
Baltimore, cloudy	42	44	.04
Charleston, rain	58	68	.00
Chicago, clear	28	28	.00
Denver, cloudy	26	40	.00
Galveston, clear	36	42	.28
Hatteras, cloudy	58	64	.00
Jacksonville, clear	68	72	.00
Kansas City, clear	18	24	.00
Knoxville, rain	44	46	.92
Louisville, cloudy	34	34	.78
Memphis, rain	32	32	.80
Mobile, rain	64	66	1.58
Montgomery, rain	58	60	2.34
Nashville, rain	40	40	.32
New Orleans, cloudy	33	44	1.72
New York, clear	38	44	.00
Oklahoma, clear	30	34	.00
Pittsburg, cloudy	32	32	.44
Portland, Ore., clear	40	42	.32
Raleigh, cloudy	52	62	.00
San Francisco, cl'dy	50	54	.04
St. Louis, cloudy	32	36	.01
Salt Lake C'y, snow	30	30	.10
Shreveport, rain	32	38	1.00
Spokane, cloudy	30	36	.01
Tampa, cloudy	68	76	.00
Toledo, clear	20	26	.04
Vicksburg, rain	38	46	2.24
Washington, cloudy	44	48	.98

C. F. von HERRMANN, Section Director.

tro-Germans opened the road to Constantinople.

It is understood that the British authorities are making every possible preparation adequately to defend the Suez canal and their Egyptian position.

BRITISH MINE SHOCKS GERMANS.

London, December 28.—The following official communication was issued tonight:

"Last night we exploded a mine near Fricourt, inflicting considerable damage on the enemy.

"Today the enemy has shown rather more than his usual artillery activity, notably south of the La Bassee canal, near Armentieres and at Ypres. Our artillery replied effectively."

FRENCH SHELL GERMAN WORKS.

Paris, December 28.—Tonight's official communication says:

"In Belgium our artillery exploded a munitions depot in front of Steenstraete.

"In Artois we effectively bombarded the railway station at Lens and the sector of Angres. In the region of Rheims shells from our batteries directed on the enemy works in the woods to the west of Prunay caused a great fire.

"In Lorraine our artillery successfully cannonaded the opposing works in the region of Domevre and Bretenil.

"In the Vosges an intense artillery action has occurred between La Plaine and Le Bonhomme.

"At Hartmanns-Wellerkopf we took possession of some trenches which the enemy still held between the two summits of Rohfelsen and Hirzstein. About 100 prisoners, including an officer, remained in our hands.

"The Belgian official communication reads: 'The usual rather violent artillery engagement took place before the center of our front. Our batteries destroyed in the neighborhood of Dixmude enemy shelters and a blockhouse.'"

USEFUL TARGETS FOR ITALIANS.

Rome, December 28.—(Via London.) The war office communication issued today says:

"The activity of our detachments, by forcing the enemy to reveal his position, gave us some useful targets for our artillery.

"The enemy's artillery again has directed its fire against inhabited centers, especially in the lower Isonzo region.

"The work of strengthening our lines continues all along the front despite the enemy's frequent attempts to interrupt it by his fire and still more by throwing large bombs containing asphyxiating gases."

FRENCH ATTACK GERMAN LINES.

Berlin, December 28.—(Via London.) An offensive by the French who have attacked the German lines at Hirzstein is announced by German army headquarters in today's official statement. Details regarding the outcome of the attack are lacking, the statement adds.

The text of the statement follows:

"Western theater of war:

"In Westende-Bad, three inhabitants, including two women, were killed by fire from an enemy monitor.

"Along the front there were at times lively artillery, hand grenade and mining duels.

"On the Hirzstein, a French advance was carried out early this morning. Detailed reports are not yet available.

"Active railway traffic at the Soissons station was stopped by our artillery. The French have recently provided a hospital situated in the immediate neighborhood of the railway station, with a Red Cross flag, apparently to protect the railway station. On account of its proximity to the railway station the possibility of the hospital being hit by chance is not excluded.

"Eastern theater of war:

"On the Beresina and northwest of Czartorysk and near Berestiany, Russain reconnoitering divisions were repulsed.

"Balkan theater of war: The situation is unchanged."

TEUTONS HALT IN THE BALKANS.

London, December 28.—"The belief is gaining ground that the central powers will remain inactive," Reuter's Athens correspondent telegraphs. "Aeroplane reconnoissances of enemy positions by the allies show that unusual calm prevails. There are no indications of a projected offensive.

"The feeling in official circles is that the danger that operations will extend to Greek Macedonia is small."

RUSSIANS CHECKED BY AUSTRIAN FIRE.

Vienna, December 28.—(Via London.) The following official communication was issued today:

"Russian theater: On the Bessarabian front and on the Dniester river repeated attacks by strong Russian forces were sanguinarily repulsed. After vigorous artillery preparations, lasting through the whole of the morning, the Russians violently attacked the sector between the Pruth river and the wooded zone north of Toporutz. Five successive infantry attacks were repelled. They were carried out in serried ranks, fifteen to sixteen deep, but collapsed under our artillery fire. The enemy's losses were very heavy.

"Italian theater: The fighting has continued in the south and in southeast Tyrol.

"Southeastern theater: The Montenegrins have retired from Godjewe to Bljoca."

BRITISH DEFEAT ARAB TRIBESMEN.

London, December 28.—A Reuter's dispatch from Cairo says:

"It is announced that the operations Christmas day on the western Egyptian front were completely successful. An enemy tribesmen force, 3,000 strong, was driven back, leaving 200 dead on the field. Effective support was given the British force by the gunfire from ships."

The British official statement, December 25, said the principal Arab force near Mersa Matru (Matruh) was attacked and dispersed with trifling loss to the British troops.

TEUTONS PLAN BLOW AT EGYPT.

Paris, December 28.—Telegrams from Bucharest declare that Field Marshal von Mackensen is directing preparations for a powerful expedition against Egypt, says a Havas dispatch from Rome. Advices to The Messaggero from the Rumanian capital, it is added, are that a number of trains loaded with munitions have been sent to Turkey, including one train of twenty-five flat cars laden with the parts of two 16-inch mortars and shells for the use of the guns, the shipment being destined for use in the Egyptian campaign.

Reports that Germany is preparing to move against the Suez canal and Egypt with a mixed force of Turks, Germans and Austrians are current in Paris. Some of the reports go into various details, it being said, for instance, that the army is likely to consist of from 500,000 to 800,000 men, and that a four-track railway is being built across the half desert region toward Suez.

HEAVY CANNONADE AT THE DARDANELLES.

Constantinople, December 28.—(Via London.)—The following official communication was issued today:

"Irak (Mesopotamia) front: An enemy detachment with two machine guns and a considerable number of horsemen, which was protected by two monitors while proceeding from Iman Aliguarbi, east of Kut-el-Amara in order to come to the assistance of Kut-el-Amara, was repulsed in the direction of Aliguarbi."

"Caucasion front: Some of our patrols repulsed strong enemy patrols.

"Dardanelles front: Near Seddul Bahr the enemy artillery fired a great number of bombs against our right wing. The enemey also directed an incessant fire with his machine guns and dropped bombs and aerial torpedoes against our left wing. Our artillery replied and silenced the enemy artillery and destroyed a portion of the enemy trenches.

"On December 25 enemy airmen unsuccessfully dropped bombs in the neighborhood of Halatkoj. We seized all the useful articles from enemy transport vessels wrecked on the coast of Biyuk Kemikli (Cape Suvala)."

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PACE SET BY ATLANTA IS AMAZING TO PHILPOT

Former Georgian Says "Unfortunate Bulletins" Are the Only Discordant Note.

W. S. Philpot, of Chicago, a Georgia boy who has attained success and distinction as one of the most successful stock and bond brokers of the northwest, is in Atlanta, accompanied by his wife, en route to his old home in Bainbridge, and to Thomasville, where he expects to spend his winter vacation.

Mr. Philpot has during the past twenty years made a specialty of southern securities, and through his offices in New York and Chicago, has placed with northern investors millions of dollars of state, municipal and industrial bonds, representing southern communities and interests. Through his offices many of the bonds issued by the Southern Guarantee Loan Company of Atlanta have been placed, and Mr. Philpot reports a constant and increasing demand on the part of northern investors for safe and reliable southern securities.

Comments on Atlanta's Growth.

In speaking of the changes wrought by time in the sky line of Atlanta, Mr. Philpot said:

"Accustomed, as I am, to the appearance of the great cities of the north and west, I must confess that I was amazed at the pace established by Atlanta in the development of its buildings.

"My business has kept me from the south for several years, and, although I have endeavored to keep in close touch with Atlanta, I was not prepared for the great improvements which have, during the last decade, made Atlanta one of the great cities of the union.

"Some of the new buildings in Atlanta would do credit to Chicago, and there are sections of Atlanta which equal, if they do not excel, in metropolitan appearance, the busy centers of our greatest eastern or western cities."

The Only Discordant Note.

Speaking of the recall movement, which has been extensively advertised through newspaper bulletins, Mr. Philpot said:

"The only discordant note I have recently observed from Atlanta is furnished by the unfortunate bulletins, which have been so widely advertised by the Atlanta newspapers. While those conversant with local conditions understand that these bulletins merely reflect conflicting views of local political factions, these conditions are not generally understood throughout the country, and as an ex-Georgian, I am frequently asked if Atlanta is really as bad as she is painted by her own citizens.

"These distorted pictures paint conditions which do not really exist, but on account of commercial rivalry and other causes, there are many people who are too ready to circulate slanders against Atlanta, on which account her papers ought not to furnish ammunition for such unwarranted attacks.

"It is only necessary to reside for a while in various cities of other sections to realize to what an extent Atlanta has escaped the civic corruption of other communities."

BIG MINERAL COMPANY WILL ASK FOR CHARTER

Extensive Developments Planned by Pickens Mineral Co. Capital $100,000.

The Pickens Mineral company, to be capitalized at $100,000, will apply to the superior court for a charter. The petition will be filed in the name of R. B. Mitchell and Robert Schmidt, and will ask for a charter for twenty years with principal offices to be established in Atlanta.

The purpose of the company will be to buy, sell, own, lease and trade in lands containing mineral deposits, to manufacture mineral products and to operate warehouses, develop water power and carry on whatever work of construction necessary to the industry. The establishment of this company has been undertaken after a thorough study of natural resources of this section and the inducements of its markets. Investigations have made the promoters enthusiastic over the value of mineral lands already within easy reach of railroads and other manufacturing facilities, and they predict an enormous development of industry along this line.

While the headquarters of the company will be established at the start in Atlanta, promoters anticipate that the economic development of their enterprise will soon outgrow the capacities of a central plant, and they will, therefore, ask in their petition for the privilege of establishing branches wherever practicable. With this development in view, authority will also be asked to increase the company's capital stock from time to time up to $500,000.

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PRODUCTS EXHIBIT OF NEGRO FARMERS TO BE SHOWN HERE

Under the auspices of the Georgia State Industrial college and the United States department of agriculture, a car exhibiting farm products which have been grown by colored farmers along the Central of Georgia railway in southeastern and middle Georgia will visit Atlanta Tuesday, January 11.

This car is highly interesting and very instructive. With the car will be a lecturer to explain the work that has been done. It is particularly desired that the colored farmers and farm hands of Fulton county shall avail themselves of the opportunity to visit the car while it is in Atlanta. Admission will be free.

The mayor of Atlanta and the governor of Georgia have been invited to visit the car and make short addresses.

The negro schools of the county and the negro colleges will have a holiday upon the day the car is in Atlanta, as will also the sixth and seventh grades of the negro schools of the city.

OFFICERS FAIL TO FIND MISS BYERS' ASSAILANT

Young Woman Attacked After Leaving Hapeville Home Tuesday Morning.

Up until a late hour last night the posse of county policemen and deputy sheriffs scouring the countryside with bloodhounds had been unable to capture the assailant of Miss Lula Byers who assaulted and attempted to rob the girl as she was going to a car near Hapeville early Tuesday morning.

Miss Byers had just left her residence, which is beyond Hapeville, and was going toward the car line on Waters drive. A short stout man wearing a gray checked cap stole cautiously up behind her and, after knocking her over the head, made an effort to snatch her purse.

Miss Byers works at a downtown department store. She stated that she fought frantically to prevent the man from taking her purse and so successful were her efforts that after screaming several times he turned and fled down the road.

Miss Byers then made her way to the home of S. Thrailkill, near the scene of the assault, where she was given medical treatment. She was later taken to her home, where she was critically ill as the result of the fright of the experience and a blow on the back of her head.

The nearest description that the young lady could get of the man was that apparently he was about 19 or 20 years of age, was heavily built and was wearing a checked gray cap.

County police officers and deputy sheriffs rushed to the Bellwood convict camp, where a pack of bloodhounds were obtained. They were unable to do very much good, however, on account of the continued rain of Tuesday.

AMERICAN PRESS GIVEN A SCORING BY BOY-ED

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unbiased in a war, the bloodshed and misery of which the world has never seen the like before."

House to Visit U. S. Embassies.

Captain Boy-Ed, Colonel House and Mr. Whitlock boarded the Rotterdam within a few minutes of each other.

Colonel House said he would visit the American embassies at London, Paris and Berlin and possibly Vienna. Concerning the object of his mission he said he had nothing to add to his previous statement, in which he declared his trip would in no way be a peace mission, but that he was going at the request of President Wilson and Secretary Lansing fully to inform various American diplomats as to the precise attitude of this government. Colonel House was accompanied by his wife.

The crowd that surrounded the Whitlocks was so large and demonstrative that it was necessary for a policeman to escort the pair down the pier to the gang plank.

"I feel much better than when I came home," said Mr. Whitlock. "I would like to show my appreciation of the consideration which has been shown me by the newspaper men since I have been home, but I must decline to talk on any important matters."

Captain Boy-Ed drove to the pier and as soon as he alighted from his taxicab he was surrounded by a large crowd and a policeman was called to escort him to the gang plank, where a number of German friends were waiting. After handing out his statement and shaking hands with his friends the captain hurried on board.

The Rotterdam sailed shortly after 2 o'clock.

PROVIDENCE JOURNAL REPLIES TO BOY-ED.

Providence, R. I., December 28.—The Providence Journal today sent a long wireless dispatch to Captain Karl Boy-Ed, on the steamship Rotterdam.

"Your farewell statement to the American people, in so far as it relates to The Providence Journal," the message said, "is a wilful and deliberate falsehood. Has The Providence Journal created a hysterical suspicion concerning the destruction of American factories, the murder of American workmen, or the daily plots against the peace and safety of this government and its citizens, almost all of which acts have been fathered and financed from your own office? Every word of what The Journal has published with regard to your personal connection with these plots has been true, and nobody knows it better than yourself."

The message reverts to its charges that Captain Boy-Ed wrote the warning to American citizens not to take passage on the Lusitania, to attempts, it asserts, he made to embroil the United States with Great Britain with false affidavits regarding shipments of supplies to naval vessels, and to the so-called Huerta plot." The newspaper declares also that an attempt was made to "bribe it into silence" by "the offer of a large sum of money for the formation of a press bureau." The message ends with this declaration:

"You know well the reason why the United States government refused to permit you to remain any longer in this country. These reasons were not based on 'hysterical rumors' printed by The Providence Journal.

"Your attempt this morning to make the American people believe such a ridiculous falsehood is your farewell insult to a government and a press that have treated you with unexampled patience in the face of evidence which, had it not been for the protection given you by your official standing, would have long ago placed you behind prison bars."

JACKSON NAMES MOORE MAYOR BY TWO VOTES

Jackson, Ga., December 28.—(Special.)—J. Threatt Moore defeated W. E. Watkins for mayor by a vote of 123 to 121 in the city primary held here today. In the second ward A. T. Buttrill won over J. M. Leach for alderman by a vote of 53 to 45, and in the fourth ward J. C. Jones was defeated for re-election for alderman by R. P. Sasnett by a vote of 29 to 22.

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SNOW FLURRIES LOST IN TUESDAY DOWNPOUR

Cold Wave Is Predicted for Wednesday Morning—Clear Day Is Promised.

LOST—In last night's continuous downpour one valuable set of snow flurries. Finder please return to the weather bureau, and no questions asked.

The weather department, in all good faith, proclaimed late Tuesday afternoon that there would be snow last night—snow in flurries.

But they got lost in the rain. It sleeted along about 10:30 o'clock, hailed and the elements performed various antics, but if there was any snow the few courageous pedestrians abroad failed to detect it.

Snow, hail, anything short of meteorological calamity would have been welcomed at any hour last night up to midnight in preference to the drenching rains that fell in an incessant downpour from early morning until the bewitching hour.

The weather bureau was still counting up the inches of rainfall Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock when the department called it a government day and quit work. It was the severest day of rainfall the city has had in considerable while.

The prediction for Wednesday, however, is clear and cold. The fresh air fiend, according to weather prospects, will get his bait along about 6 o'clock this morning. For an indefinite time it is forecasted that the city will be besieged by a cold wave.

The rain ceased just a few minutes before midnight with only intermittent showers of short duration. The skies took on a gray hue, tinctured here and there with silver, and the winds had a fringe of chill to them—all this in part corroboration of the cold wave forecast.

The storm that has ranged over Texas since Monday morning has advanced slowly eastward to the middle gulf coast, and the area of rain Tuesday included Georgia. Rains also fell over nearly the entire cotton belt west of Georgia. Snow is now falling over Texas.

Between the Texas disturbance and a storm prevailing over northern Montana, accompanied by precipitation in the northwest and along the Pacific coast, the atmospheric pressure is high and temperatures quite low. St. Louis and Kansas reported only 12 below zero.

STAMP OF PLOTTER PUT ON CONGRESSMAN

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with," said he, "and I have done nothing which I would not do again if I had the opportunity. I have been working for peace. That is all. I understand they charge me with fomenting strikes. I have never seen anybody or talked to anybody about strikes. If they have indicted me on perjured evidence it will just furnish more evidence to support my impeachment charges."

FRANK S. MONNETT PLEADS IGNORANCE.

Columbus, Ohio, December 28.—"I do not know anything about it," was the comment of Frank S. Monnett, of this city, when informed that an indictment had been returned by a federal grand jury in New York charging him with conspiracy to foment strikes at munitions plants.

"I am attorney for several labor unions," he continued, "and recently have been giving legal advice to the men engaged here in the strike of the glass blowers and others. There was nothing in my employment that was not entirely regular."

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STATES WOULD UPHOLD ANTI-SHIPPING BILLS

Georgia Invited to Join With West Virginia in Test Case.

The test case of the West Virginia anti-shipping prohibition law, which is said to be one of the most stringent yet to be enacted, is now pending in the United States supreme court, the fight upon the law being made upon the ground that it is in conflict with the fourteenth amendment of the constitution, providing for equal protection to all. The West Virginia law prohibits common carriers from transporting intoxicants into the state of West Virginia from other states. The position is taken that this law does not prohibit automobiles or any other mediums of transportation not common carriers, from transporting liquor into West Virginia, which, it is held, is discriminatory.

It became known in Atlanta yesterday that nine southern states which have anti-shipping laws, of which states Georgia is one, will be given opportunity to join with West Virginia in her case in order that the general principle of anti-shipping laws may be supported. The other eight southern states, it is understood, in event they should participate in the case, will not take the position of defending their own laws upon the point in question in the West Virginia laws, for the reason that in Georgia and the other states this point seems to be pretty well covered. The object would be, if possible, to guard against a decision which would militate against the general principle of anti-shipping bills.

The states which, it is understood, will be invited to join with West Virginia in her case are Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia and Idaho.

These states are to be furnished with an elaborate brief in support of the general principle of anti-shipping legislation prepared by General Counsel Wheeler, of Columbus, Ohio; Judge Samuel D. Weekly, of Alabama, and Colonel Thomas B. Felder, of Atlanta.

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"Yes," she continued, "all the neighbors heard of my case and I guess that is the reason they bought it. They all know how bad off I was, and my women friends used to come in to see me when I was sick, and they can all tell you just as well as I can what this medicine has done for me.

"I had Yellow Jaundice so bad I was as yellow as gold, but this was not my only trouble. I suffered from severe pains in my stomach and bowels. Sometimes these pains would be so bad they would draw me almost double. I had no desire to eat and would get so nauseated I couldn't even retain water on my stomach. Even my kidneys were affected and I would have severe pains in my sides and the small of my back. I would suffer at times so bad I would almost get desperate. Nothing in the way of medicine seemed to me any good, and I just dragged and dragged along in this condition for week after week.

"Finally a friend of mine who had used the medicine advised me to try Tanlac, and I will always bless the day I got it, for it has acted more like magic than medicine in my case.

"I gained 5 pounds on the first bottle and there is hardly any use to tell you how well I am feeling, for you can see for yourself I don't look yellow or thin any more. In fact, I haven't had a spell since I began taking it five weeks ago, and I am eating heartily three times a day and enjoying it.

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GERMANY TO MAKE PEACE PROPOSALS

Terms Will Be Discussed With Austria and Then Submitted to Allies—Conference Wanted at The Hague.

Geneva, Switzerland, December 28. (Via Paris.)—A dispatch to The Tribune from Vienna says:

"Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg is expected in Vienna shortly with the full conditions under which the central powers will accept peace. After discussing the terms with Baron von Burian, the Austrian minister, the conditions will be officially communicated to the allies, Germany suggesting that the first conference be held at The Hague."

FRANCE WANTS WAR, SAYS GENERAL GALLIENI.

Paris, December 28.—"Eighteen months ago France wanted peace. Today she wants war most energetically, and to that end will use all her resources," said General Gallieni, the minister of war, in asking the senate today to approve the action of the chamber of deputies in giving him the 1917 class of recruits for January 5. General Gallieni's remarks were greeted with prolonged applause.

"Whoever says a word of peace in the streets is considered a bad citizen," continued the minister of war. "Mothers are not mourning for lost sons; they want them to be avenged. The 1917 class will leave with the assent of the nation. It demands that those charged with the duty receive and instruct these young men and prepare them for the great contest, which will not end before France, in accord with her allies, says: 'I stop! I have obtained what I wanted! I resume my work of peace!'"

Redoubled applause, interspersed with shouts of "Excellent!" came from the entire senate, which arose as a mark of honor. Returning to the ministerial seat, General Gallieni received the congratulations of his colleagues.

The upper house immediately passed the bill and authorized the public posting of the minister's address.

BOLD AUTOMOBILE THIEF STEALS CAR FROM PEACHTREE

The Atlanta police department, which has been troubled from time to time with the peculiar boldness with which local thieves have possessed themselves of automobiles along the city's streets, were aroused yesterday by another free-hand robbery of a machine standing in front of the Aragon hotel.

Several men discussing their after-supper cigars at the front windows of this Peachtree hostlery noticed a well-dressed man step into a Ford five-passenger car standing by the curbing and drive away. A few noticed that he was not the same person who had left it a short time previous, but the thief's businesslike deliberateness quelled any suspicions of evil doing. When the automobile's owner arrived shortly afterward he stated that the auto's number was N. C. 7800.

Eighteen Soldiers Killed.

Posen, Prussia, December 28.—(Via London.)—Eighteen soldiers were killed and forty-seven injured when a train loaded with men returning from their Christmas furloughs was derailed at the Bentschen station today.

BETTER ROUND TRIP ROUTES TO BE SOUGHT

Officials of Southern Travelers' Association Are Visitors to Atlanta.

Having met with success in their 2-cent-mileage-book and split-ticket campaigns, the next movement into which the Southern Travelers' association proposes to throw its strength will be that of obtaining a round-trip ticket for commercial travelers out of New York and throughout the south. This was the statement yesterday of R. H. Cohen, ex-president of the association, who, with President Rudy Gras and ex-President James E. Sauders, is making a tour of the south.

These three officials of the association were stopping at the Piedmont hotel Tuesday, Atlanta being the first leg of their swing around Dixie. They will go from here to Birmingham and New Orleans, and thence through Texas before returning to New York.

It is the purpose of these officials to make an investigation of the business conditions of the south and of the progress the association is making.

The Southern Travelers' association is planning to secure for the travelers of the south a round-trip ticket out of New York—that is, a ticket by which commercial travelers may come south over one route and return by another. This would allow such travelers to come south along the Atlantic seaboard towns, for instance, and make Texas and return to New York by way of Memphis and Cincinnati on the same ticket. The officials of the association have already consulted with prominent railroad officials in the east and have found them very favorable to the plan. The Western Travelers' association already has such a ticket.

"If the Southern Travelers' association can get this ticket," said Mr. Cohen, "it will mean that eastern houses will send more men and more lines south. It will mean cheaper travel to the south and a bigger business for Dixie."

Mr. Cohen explained that the Southern Travelers' association was the only travelers' organization which appeared before the interstate commerce commission to protest against the split-ticket ruling which, if it had become effective, would have prevented the through checking of baggage between Atlanta and New York on mileage. This association was also a strong factor in the fight for the 2-cent mileage book.

CASES AGAINST NINE SYRIANS POSTPONED

Cases against the nine Syrians who were arrested Sunday night for participation in a free-for-all fight on Decatur street were postponed in police matinee Tuesday afternoon upon motion of attorneys. The trial will not be held until the outcome of injuries received by two of the men can be ascertained.

The nine men appearing before Recorder Johnson were M. S. Deher, Clibe Maloof, Mike Dommey, John Jacobs, H. Abraham, John Aokel, A. F. Maloof, Michael Najour and Mender Maloof.

G. S. WHITEHAD WINS RHODES SCHOLARSHIP

Athens, Ga., December 28.—(Special.) George Stevens Whitehead, of Carleton, Ga., son of former State Senator Walter E. Whitehead, has been named as the successful contestant for the Rhodes scholarship from Georgia. He will leave for Oxford, England, next October, and will remain three years in the great English university pursuing special work. He made one of the most enviable records in the University of Georgia, from which he graduated last June.

Cotton Crop Sold, Planters Invest Money in Morphine

Drug Is Purchased for Use of Aged Mother of South Georgia Cotton Growers. Names Withheld.

How an amount of morphine equal in quantity to that usually carried by many wholesale drug companies was bought up by two cotton planters in south Georgia, so that their aged mother might never be without the dope, was revealed by a Christmas investigation made by Special Revenue Agent Claud Rountree. He has returned with 295 dram bottles of the drug, upon which government officials place a value of $300, in view of the rapidly increasing price of morphine.

The aged mother of the two cotton planters, it is said, has become a confirmed fiend through many years of addiction to its use. When the Harrison anti-narcotic act became effective and the state-wide crusade against morphine users conducted last summer by government officials successfully bottled up local supplies of the opiate the aged woman was left in cruel straits. To relieve her condition and to provide against her future necessity the two sons, according to their story, diverted the entire proceeds of the year's cotton crop, nearly $500, to the purchase of morphine.

Three hundred dram bottles of the drug were bought through various physicians and druggists of devious ways who had escaped the vigilance of the government men. This quantity, which is six times the amount sold by many druggists in thirty-five years, was conveyed, box at a time, to the old house on the farm and tied up in a large sack. There it remained at the disposal of the aged mother until one of the sons, too, fell a victim of the habit.

His brother, fearing for the fate of the other and concerned lest the news of the quantity of the purchase should get abroad in the country, conveyed the 295 dram bottles remaining to the establishment of the family physician-druggist. This physician, familiar with the Harrison law, called for a special revenue agent, and the secret was out.

Officers are withholding the names of the planters.

OFFICERS PREPARING FOR WAR TAX RETURNS

The January war tax for the next six months of the fiscal year and the immense amount of clerical work attached to the returns of the several thousand Georgians whose businesses come within its demands are being anticipated by the large office force of Collector of Internal Revenue A. O. Blalock. Commencing with the first of the month they will be busy in the federal building taking in the returns of those who must pay before January 31, or sacrifice to the government an additional tax of 50 per cent.

Collector Blalock is already sending out forms and circular letters explaining the tax and the methods of its payment. These letters are being sent to all firms whose names are on the government rolls and to those whose firm's addresses are being recorded.

Last year there were approximately 14,000 Georgians, according to estimates of the government, who paid banking and special taxes. Of this number, it is said, a large percentage failed to make proper returns within the month and were, therefore, required to pay the 50 per cent penalty which had accrued.

The banking returns will be the same in amount and the same tax as those made for the six months just passing. In other words, those affected will make out a duplicate, except as to dates, if the returns for the first half of the fiscal year was correctly made. Tax payers of the emergency tax act, which has just been extended by congress, are proprietors of theaters, billiard halls and bowling alleys, brokers, pawn brokers, tobacco dealers, commission merchants and others. These will also be required to make a sworn statement of their returns at the time their taxes are paid.

MORTUARY

(All Funeral Notices Appear on Last Page.)

A. J. Clark, Macon.

Macon, Ga., December 28.—(Special.) News has reached Macon of the death at Oglethorpe of Professor A. J. Clark, father of Dr. M. A. Clark, of Macon, which occurred Monday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. R. Battle. Professor Clark was 77 years of age. Four sons, Dr. M. A. Clark, of Macon; Rev. E. H. Clark, of Augusta; A. A. Clark, of South Bend, Ind., and Rev. C. F. Clark, of Montezuma, and two daughters, Mrs. W. R. Battle, of Oglethorpe, and Mrs. E. R. Orr, of Dublin, survive.

G. W. Hudgins, Macon.

Macon, Ga., December 28.—(Special.) George W. Hudgins, a resident of Macon for fifty years, died at the Macon hospital this morning at the advanced age of 84 years. Mr. Hudgins was a confederate veteran, having enlisted in the Fifth Arkansas regiment, with which he served throughout the war. He leaves his widow, one daughter, Mrs. W. L. Waters, and four sons, T. C., C. C., W. G. and B. C. Hudgins. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon and interment will be in Riverside cemetery.

J. D. Stewart, Waycross.

Waycross, Ga., December 28.—(Special.) J. D. Stewart, age 73, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. J. Bell, today. He had been in feeble health for some time. Mr. Stewart is survived by five children, C. A. Stewart, of Bradley Junction, Fla.; Fentress Stewart, of Evanston, Ill.; Mrs. L. C. Wade, of Tifton; Mrs. W. H. Hill, and Miss Cora Bell Stewart, of Waycross. The funeral services will be conducted here tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Margaret Fuller Allen.

Mrs. Margaret Fuller Allen, aged 36, died Tuesday at a private hospital. She lived at 27 McLendon avenue. Besides her husband, O. H. Allen, she is survived by her father, J. T. Fuller, Villa Rica, Ga.; three sisters, Mrs. G. L. Walraven, Villa Rica; Mrs. T. A. Black, Atlanta, and Mrs. S. T. Harris, Chicago; three brothers, A. H., W. T. and J. D. Fuller, all of Villa Rica, and one son, Kenneth Allen.

Mrs. Janie Brown, Hartwell.

Hartwell, Ga., December 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Janie Brown died here yesterday morning at 6 o'clock. She leaves her husband, Stanly J. Brown; one daughter, besides her father, mother, four sisters and four brothers. Mrs. Brown was a young matron and was very popular. Her husband is a prosperous young business man.

Miss L. L. Locklear, Rome.

Rome, Ga., December 28.—(Special.) Miss Linnie Lee Locklear, aged 21 years, died at her home on Spring Creek, after a lengthy illness. Miss Lockyear was a member of a prominent Floyd county family, and is survived by her father and mother, four brothers and four sisters.

MACON IS SELECTED BY GEORGIA BANKERS

Chosen for 1916 Convention City by Bankers' Executive Committee.

Macon, Ga., December 28.—(Special.) The Georgia Bankers' association was so well pleased with the entertainment given them when they met here in 1914 that they have decided to hold their annual convention here again in 1916. This decision was reached at a meeting of the executive committee of the association, held at the Hotel Dempsey this morning, and it is estimated that the convention will bring at least 800 people to the city, including some of the most noted financiers in the country.

While the exact dates for the meeting have not been fixed it is understood that the latter part of May, probably May 26 and 27, will be determined on. The Hotel Dempsey auditorium will be the place of meeting.

Attending the session of the executive committee today were F. S. Etheridge, of Jackson, president of the state association; C. B. Lewis, of Macon, vice president; C. E. Smith, of Brunswick, treasurer; J. L. Shelton, of Douglas, secretary of group 1; L. S. Radford, of Winder, chairman of group 2; J. T. Duncan, of Douglasville, chairman of group 3; J. H. Arnold, of Tennille; Haynes McFadden, of Atlanta, secretary of the state association; O. A. Park, of Macon, counsel for the state association.

The state association now has over 600 members, but plans are on foot to increase the number to 1,000 before the next annual meeting.

Arrangements for the convention will be made by a local committee composed of C. B. Lewis, chairman; Jesse B. Hart, L. P. Hillyer and John M. Ross.

HALF HUNDRED SHOTS FIRED INTO POLICEMAN

Athens, Ga., December 28.—(Special.) Traffic Officer Bray, whose duty it is to enforce the speed laws in Athens, is at his home with birdshot holes to the number of half a hundred in his back and legs. Meeting two drunken negroes in the street last night, he warned them and one shot at him with a pistol, clipping off a button from his coat. He pursued the shooter, firing several times at him, and the other negro opened on him from the rear with a shotgun, filling his body full of small holes.

Three miles from Athens, later in the night, an unknown negro called at the home of Ollie Reid, asked him to the door, and without explanation, emptied a load of shot in Reid's legs. Police believe that the same man who shot the policeman shot Reid.

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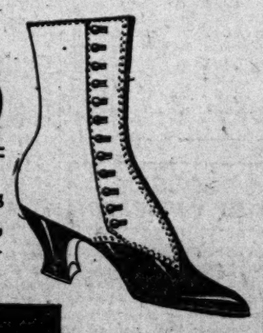
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Last week's Saturday Evening Post contains double-page advertisement fully describing this car.

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FUNNY---IF ONLY HARMLESS!

What a beautiful time the extremists are having constructing imaginary issues for the unfortunate "Recall" campaign!

Dr. Dunbar Ogden, powerful in the pulpit, and not less interesting as a stump orator in a political campaign—just will have it that the devil is to pay generally in Atlanta, that the whole town is honeycombed with vice and corruption and that Sodom and Gomorrah were Amen Corners beside Atlanta in her iniquitous, hellward strides! All of which would be funny if it were not hurting the city!

A few weeks ago the good Doctor took it upon himself to make what we thought to be a very harsh and unwarranted comment on the Atlanta business men who gave their time and money to the Harvest Festival and the Southeastern Fair Association—because forsooth a street midway show conducted a few "catch-penny" affairs that were nothing more nor less than raffles similar to those conducted at many church bazars. When a serious attempt was made to conduct a gambling device it was promptly and vigorously suppressed.

The Constitution tried then to comfort him—but evidently with poor success.

Now, if it is the good Doctor's intention to get into a controversy with The Constitution about its morals we respectfully submit that he may have the floor to himself.

If The Constitution's life of a half century, and its work for the material AND the moral uplift of the city and state has not put it beyond the point where it must take the defensive, then nothing that we could now say in our own behalf would be effective.

But, fortunately, that is not necessary!.

The Constitution was here and working for Atlanta long before Dr. Ogden had put on "this mortal coil," and it bids fair to be at the same old stand long after he shall have gone—which sad day may Providence long delay, for despite his Job-like tendency to seek the gloomiest shadows, while the sunshine literally struggles to throw about him an atmosphere of cheer—he is a good man, a good preacher, and he means well!

But in politics! Ah! It's the same old story of the "shoemaker sticking to his last!"

But The Constitution refuses to be stampeded by the bogies behind which the good Doctor and some of his extremist associates are fighting.

Little do we care what the New Orleans newspapers did in the case of Dr. Palmer and the Louisiana Lottery. All we know of that is that at that time The Constitution sustained Dr. Palmer, just as we know now that The Constitution would be among the first to lead the fight against the reopening of the "red-light" district—which even Dr. Ogden's associates admit is not within the realm of possibility.

Again we say—there is no cleaner city in all the world than Atlanta!

And if the people of the city do not enter their protest next Wednesday against the wholesale denunciation, the abuse, the calumny, the misrepresentation that has been spread broadcast against the city—they are not made of the stuff out of which the "Atlanta Spirit" was born!

SOLDIERS AT PRAYER.

A soldier of the trenches, writing to The London Spectator from the western front, tells of the religious spirit of the men who are doing the fighting there, of devotional exercises faithfully followed and respected by all, where "none is ashamed to drop upon his knees and pray at any moment."

It is prayer for the preservation of the hearts and homes they have left—for the coming of the peace which may restore them to their homes, and it gives heart and hope to the men.

The soldier-correspondent who writes of the devotional spirit says:

> We have a chaplain who comes up into the front line every day, no matter how dangerous and rough things may be; in fact, he always makes for the most dangerous places on principle. One day during the particularly hot bombardment instead of leaving the trenches 'the padre,' as he is called, strode up and down the line cheering and helping. Wherever the bombardment was strongest that place became his objective, and it was noticed that he slackened off as soon as he reached the locality.

The prayers of brave men of the ranks, in the face of death, must clash with those of the men that made the world-war, whose heaven-directed petitions are that they may blast their way to the realization of their ambition to obtain world-power, even over the graves of the people.

But the men of the trenches—many of them—are coming to have the spiritual vision, which is expressed for them in the lines entitled, "The Soldier's Omen," by H. Thompson Rich, in the Bruno Chap Book:

> A silent Figure walks the skies
> All day;
> He has a solemn look and wise,
> They say.
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> A silent Figure walks the skies
> All night;
> He has a sorrow in His eyes,
> They write.
>
> A silent Figure walks the skies
> In pain;
> He has a solemn look and wise;
> He has a sorrow in His eyes;
> He suffers and He dies, He dies—
> Again.

ALL OVER IN A WEEK.

Fortunately, one week from today will witness the end of the deplorable and unnecessary campaign in which Atlanta is now involved.

The people of Atlanta may at least felicitate and congratulate themselves that the end is already in sight; that at most there can be but a few days more of a campaign which, from whatever standpoint we may view it, must be distasteful to the citizen who takes natural and justifiable pride in the good name of a city which, in the matter of moral cleanliness and genuine progressiveness, he does not hesitate to compare with any city on the face of the earth.

For this election of January 5 Atlanta voters have registered in substantial numbers, approximately 14,000 of them; and, although many who would perhaps like to have qualified have been unable to do so for reasons that have been pointed out, it is apparent that the city is to have a more general and more generous expression on this subject at the polls than could possibly have been anticipated under the ruling which put it upon the basis of the new registration.

This is as it should be. It demonstrates a public interest that is willing to make personal sacrifice for what it considers the community's best interests.

One week from today we shall have that comparatively full and free expression which the situation demands and which we confidently believe will establish for the future the good name of Atlanta upon the most substantial foundation that can be laid for it—the confidence of her own people.

But within that week, in any event, the fight will have been fought out and we may then lay aside for many weeks and months to come, we trust for many years, the bitterness, the aspersion and the unseemly and unnecessary strife to which this dispute has given rise.

For this relief Atlantans all, regardless of personal views, will give profoundest thanks!

IN THE LIGHT OF HISTORY.

The charitable view of one of the kaiser's humble home-defenders was that he hoped to benefit Turkey through Christian missionary work; that the Turk was learning to speak German and was so impressed with German ideals that, in time, he would become a good Sunday school scholar!

That was the unlettered peasant-idea of one phase of German affiliation with Turkey.

In the light of history, The New York Evening Post regards the Turk as "Germany's strange bedfellow," and says that when the kaiser embraces the sultan "he will have to forget what Germans have written of the Turks":

> For example, there is the letter which Bismarck wrote to the old emperor on August 11, 1877. It was at the time of the first Russian reverses in the war with Turkey, and Bismarck associated himself with Wilhelm I. in regretting the misfortune. He did not think that Germany would need to face a change of policy, but he went on to say:—
> "It is impossible without deep sympathy to read of the misfortunes of these brave and friendly soldiers, or without indignation to learn of the shameless outrages committed by the Turks upon the wounded and helpless. With such barbarians it is difficult to be on good terms diplomatically, and I think that all Christian powers must be indignant. . . . For the Russians, there lies in these events evidence that, in this war, they are the champions of Christian civilization against heathenish barbarism."

Time and expediency have wrought a change of policy, if not of sentiment: "Our noble ally, Turkey;" "The brave and loyal Turkish soldiers" are common expressions in battle bulletins. The Christian-killing Turk shines in a different light now.

English newspapers are quoting from the Bismarck letter with caustic comment; but the German press makes this equally caustic rejoinder:

> You started this heathen business: Savages who worship stocks and stones are fighting in your ranks. You have no case in court when you inveigh against "heathen help."

And so it goes. In such a war there is no time to discuss the proprieties: A sword in heathen hands is still a sword, if its edge be keen for killing and there happens to be power behind the hand that wields it.

With so many eminent sick men in Europe the sultan is out of the lonesome class.

England deposes generals, then lifts them to the peerage, where it's easy to hold one's ground.

JUST *from* GEORGIA

By Frank L. Stanton



Old Man Rain.

I.

Old Man Rain, he says, says he:
"World sent messages to me:
'Want the sun to light our ways:—
Hold up for the holidays!
Now we're feelin' good and prime;
You can rain some other time!"

II.

"And I listened—called in crowds
Of my big, rain-burdened clouds,
Till I heard the Four Winds whinin'
That the Sun was tired of shinin';
'Nother message came my way:
'Tired Sun wants a holiday!'

III.

"So, to my old self I said:
'Down below, or overhead,
From the sweet spring to the fall,
There's no chance to please 'em all!
When the Thunder beats his drum,
Want snow-regiments to come!'
So I told my clouds at rest:
'Just rain down your level best!'"

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How Father Pulled Through.

Editor McIntosh tells, in The Albany Herald, how Father pulled through:

"It will take him six months to recover, but he does not complain. He doesn't even feel like complaining. He received a 50-cent cravat, 25 cigars, a pair of sock supporters, a cake of shaving soap, an embroidered something-or-other to put his bedroom slippers in, a set of pearl shirt buttons and two penwipers. And yet—well, Father got more out of Christmas than anybody in the family."

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The Task-Time.

I.

"It's time for the burdens your lives must bear—
For the goal that's worth the winning;
To rise and shine," said the bright New Year,
"You must keep the mill-wheels spinning!

II.

"No rivers bright in cloudless light,
With milk and honey flowing;
If you'd see the corn climb out of sight
You must keep the plowshare going!"

III

So the New Year said, and he heard the tread
Of millions, and the singing
Of the labor-song the world along
And life in the quick soil springing.

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'Specially in the Holidays.

The Calhoun County Courier man sees it in this light:

"Why is it," asked the curious guest, "that poor men usually give larger tips than rich men?" "Well, suh," said the waiter, "the po' man don't want nobody to know he's po' an' the rich man don't want nobody to know he's rich."

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The World.

All o' the saints upbraid it—
Trouble from hill to glen;
It ain't as the good Lord made it,—
Man's tried his hand since then.

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A Candid One.

A unique epitaph discovered by The Topeka Capital in an old cemetery:

"W. S. Fancier, died September 30, 1883, aged 78 years. Death had no terrors for him; he died as he lived, an unbeliever in all creeds and church dogmas; he professed no knowledge of any other world and but little of this."

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A Graduate.

He'll swear off finely—that is clear,
There is no room to doubt it;
He's practiced swearing all the year
And knows just all about it.

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How He Showed Up.

This holiday item from The Pea Ridge Pod:

"'He looked like a censored war dispatch,' is the way one woman described her husband on his coming in at 2 a. m. after attending lodge(?) meeting."

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His Opportunity.

"Satan is always hangin' 'roun' in de holiday season. Dat's his bes' time fer watchin' how some er de saints cuts up."

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All in the Dark.

Peacemaker Ford, he went to war:
Their guns they wouldn't drop;
They can't tell what they're fighting for,
Nor when they're goin' to stop.

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As Luke Sees Them.

Our friend, Luke McLuke, says, in The Cincinnati Enquirer:

"A Pessimist is a man who hasn't any use for a Rose because he knows that the Thorns will be on the job long after the rose has withered.

"An Optimist is a married man who, when he gets paid on Saturday, hopes that he will have a dollar or two left at the end of the week."

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The Gift of the Rain.

Folger McKinsey sings, in his Baltimore Sun column, of the "Rainy Day:"

"The rain comes every now and then
To sit and talk a while with men
It is so lonesome way up there,
And so it thinks we will not care
If it comes down to visit those
In whose front yard it leaves the rose."

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Wanted Energy.

"I don't mind 'em closin' up a moonshine 'still when they've got it dead to rights," says a Georgia sympathizer, "it's the takin' of a ax an' smashin' 'em that gits me. A good copper still represents labor. It took talent and hard work to make it. Why smash it to smithereens?"

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The True Light.

The Dark Day said he'd hide the sun
And fill the earth with blight;
But Love was dreaming in the dark,
And all the earth saw light.

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Short Shrift.

"The New Year resolution is with us," says a Billville brother, "but it won't stay there long."

RIPPLING RHYMES

By WALT MASON.

INTO ALL LIVES.

"Into all lives some rain must fall," the poet said on a dismal day, as he wiped the damp from the kitchen wall, and plugged the roof with a bunch of hay. Into all lives some rain must pour, which means, hard luck will be with us all; and some will show that their heads are sore, and they'll have a grouch forty cubits tall. And some will say, when hard luck comes, "We're always willing to take our share; there's no use playing the muffled drums or pushing sobs through the trembling air. So many blessings have come our way, we'd be cheap skates if we raised a roar, when Hard Luck comes on a cloudy day, and knocks three times on our cottage door. Come in, Hard Luck—take the easy chair, and rest your feet on the chandelier; you'll soon get tired of the cheerful air you'll find in our little wigwam here. You'll soon get tired when you hear us spring the playful jest and the sparkling pun; you'll soon get tired when you hear us sing, all day till the round of chores is done. You'll feel the gooseflesh along your back, while you remain in this pleasant place, and you will chase to another shack, where people groan when they see your face."

CAPITOL GOSSIP

By Ned McIntosh

RETIRING OIL INSPECTOR IS GIVEN CHEST OF SILVER

The oil and gasoline inspectors of the state yesterday presented Dr. W. C. Bryant, state oil inspector, who has tendered his resignation to the state commissioner of agriculture, effective January 1, with a handsome chest of silver. This was a token of their esteem for their retiring administrative official. The speech of presentation was made by State Commissioner of Commerce and Labor Hal Stanley.

J. J. BROWN MADE MEMBER OF WATERPOWER COMMITTEE

Representative Herman Swift, of Muscogee county, having notified Governor Harris of his inability to serve upon the committee authorized by joint resolution of the extra session of the general assembly to memorialize congress to investigate the feasibility of aiding in the development of southern waterpowers for the manufacture of nitrates, Governor Harris has appointed J. J. Brown, president of the Farmers' Union of Georgia, in his stead.

STATE MUST PAY OUT LARGE SUMS IN JANUARY

During the month of January the state treasury department will be called upon to pay out $1,525,000.

Of this amount $225,000 is payable in New York city, January 1. To pay on the principal on the state bonds $100,000 will be necessary. For the purpose of paying the semi-annual interest on the state bonds $125,000 will be required.

In the latter part of the month the state is under obligation to pay $1,300,000 of the state school fund.

The present rate at which taxes are being received indicates that all of these payments will be met promptly.

CITY HALL GOSSIP

THE BATTLE OF BALLOTS.

(By City Registrar Andy Stewart—which "recalls" the "Battle of Balaklava," by Alfred Tennyson.)

Voters to the right of us,
Voters to the left of us,
Lined up and waited.
Voters to the front of us,
Voters all round of us—
Many belated.

Into the press they surged,
Wildly they came and urged,
Urged us to "get 'em."
Begged us to let 'em pay
Taxes due many a day—
Of course we all let 'em.

CITY REGISTRAR TELLS HOW HIS OFFICE WAS STORMED

The city registrar, Andy Stewart, was telling the city hall officials yesterday morning what a rush he had at his office during the registration for the recall election.

"I have read of the siege of Troy," he said, "and of Horatius, who held that famous bridge, but I don't think they had anything on the tax office for the past two weeks. Why, the voters simply stormed the courthouse. I have been asked about the complexion or line-up of the thousands who came to register and my reply has always been that we were too awfully busy to keep any tab on the voters. The only question we asked them was if they had paid their taxes."

CAN AN ALLEY BE CALLED A STREET? LAWSUIT TO SETTLE THE QUESTION

Atlanta is going into a lawsuit to find out if an alley can be called a street.

The sewer committee of council considered yesterday afternoon a report from the office of chief of construction in which it was stated that the property owners on "Conway Place," running off from Crumley street, between Ami and Martin streets, had refused to pay for a sewer assessment on the ground that the "place" was only a public alley. The "place" is shown on the city's map as an alley, but it is a very wide alley and has been built up with houses which had to have a sewer. Under the law the city cannot assess for alley sewers.

The committee decided to make the assessments and let the property owners test the matter in the courts.

ANSLEY PARK SEWERS CANNOT TAKE CARE OF RAINWATER

Because the sewers in Ansley Park cannot take care of the rainwater as well as the sewage, an ordinance was prepared and submitted to the sewer committee of council yesterday afternoon to compel the property owners to disconnect their drain pipes from the sewers.

The committee did not think this exactly just and held the ordinance up till the construction department can ascertain the cost of the work, with a view of making the city pay the cost, if not too great.

CITY CLERK IS GETTING READY BALLOTS FOR RECALL ELECTION

In a few days the city clerk will have the official ballots for the recall election ready.

He will have them printed as the ordinary city election ballots so that each police commissioner can be voted upon separately.

The city clerk states that the election will be in the hands of the regular city election managers, who were named by the city council.

RACE FOR MAYOR PRO TEM. IS CLAIMED TO BE VERY CLOSE

The race for mayor pro tem. between Alderman Jesse W. Armistead and Alderman Charles H. Kelley, is claimed as close.

A short time ago it was almost conceded that Alderman Armistead had a "walkover," but the backers of Alderman Kelley are now claiming that the recall election has changed the situation.

Alderman Kelley is a strong recaller, while Alderman Armistead is an equally strong anti-recaller.

COLLEGE PARK LODGE NAMES NEW OFFICERS

College Park lodge, No. 454, F. & A. M., held its annual meeting Monday night, December 27, at which time the officers for the ensuing year were chosen. They are as follows: Worshipful master, John H. Bradley; senior warden, Ben T. Neely; junior warden, L. A. Niven; secretary, Hal M. Carlton, re-elected; treasurer, Joe Bazemore, re-elected; tyler, A. O. Allen, re-elected; senior deacon, Harris Fitzpatrick; junior deacon, Robert Fitzpatrick; senior steward, H. B. Smith; junior steward, Arthur Reid.

The lodge has just closed the most successful year of its history, under the administration of Deputy Sheriff John Owens, as worshipful master. On behalf of the lodge he was presented with a beautiful past master's jewel as a token of appreciation.

NATIONAL OFFICERS OF FARMERS' UNION DISCUSS RURAL CREDITS

Fertilizers and rural credits were two subjects considered at a meeting in Atlanta yesterday of a number of organizers and other officials of the Georgia Farmers' union, at which President Charles S. Barrett, of the National Farmers' union, and President J. J. Brown, of the Georgia union, were present.

At the present high prices of fertilizers, due to the excessive cost of certain materials entering into the manufacture and for which European war conditions are responsible, there is a disposition on the part of the majority of Georgia farmers not to use any fertilizers at all next year.

"We realize," President Brown said, "the great importance of using fertilizers and getting the best possible yield. But it must also be realized that the time can come when fertilizer prices get so high as to make their use almost prohibitive. Many Georgia farmers think the situation has reached that stage today. This is a problem which we have to consider, and we are trying to ascertain if there is any possible way in which to get down the cost to a working basis for the Georgia farmer. While we have reached no solution as yet, we are going thoroughly into the matter and are hopeful of bringing about a better situation than that which now confronts us.

"As to the matter of rural credits," President Brown continued, "everybody knows just how the farmer stands on that subject. But if we are going to have rural credits, we want the kind we can accept and that will do us some good. It may as well be understood in the beginning that the farmers of Georgia and, I believe, of the whole south, will not sanction a rural credit plan that compels one farmer to put up his land as security, even in small degree for another farmer's debt. This sort of 'landschaft' scheme, I understand, is among those proposed to be considered by congress, but it may as well be understood now that it will not answer our purpose. Congress must give us something better than this if it proposes to satisfy the farmer in the matter of rural credits, and we shall, of course, let them know it."

DR. LEDBETTER FAVORS LEASING A BUILDING FOR DRUG VICTIMS

Dr. L. S. Ledbetter, representative from Polk county, author of the bill passed by the extra session of the general assembly providing for relief for drug victims who are being made to suffer by the operation of the Harrison anti-narcotic act of congress, is in the city. He will confer with Governor Harris today regarding a plan for putting the state law into operation. The law becomes effective January 1 and carries an appropriation of $10,000.

The Harrison anti-narcotic act is a very drastic federal law against the illicit sale of morphine and other narcotics. The enforcement of the law was recently vigorously undertaken in Georgia, with the result that the formerly normal supply of narcotics obtained illegally by users of such drugs was suddenly cut off. This has caused untold suffering throughout the state. Many cities, including Atlanta, have made special provisions to give such victims medical treatment. In the rural sections of the state, however, there are many victims who have no access to relief. It is for these in some measure that the bill is designed.

Held for Vagrancy.

But the bill goes further than that. For lack of a better place to send drug victims judges have for a long while been sending them to the state penitentiary under charges of vagrancy. The result of this has been that the penitentiary is today clogged with drug victims who are guilty of no greater crime—many of them—than in some unfortunate moment of extreme pain to have had to resort to morphine and never have been able to escape. These men, as the governor pointed out upon his visit last spring to the state prison, are no more than charity wards of the state, and have no business in the state prison.

This new law, then, provides relief for these victims and will put an end to sending any more to the state farm.

Asked to Devise Plan.

Dr. Ledbetter several weeks ago conferred with the governor relative to putting this new law into operation, and the governor asked him to formulate a plan.

Dr. Ledbetter stated that since the law provided that the administration of this law should be under the supervision of the governor and the state board of health the latter would have worked out a plan, but since the governor had asked him to suggest, he would tell the governor the plan that he has worked out.

Dr. Ledbetter will suggest that the state lease a suitable building in Atlanta, where victims from sections not otherwise provided for may be brought and be treated. He said that he is opposed to the state erecting a permanent building for this purpose for the reason that the necessity for such a building will exist but a few years. Dr. Ledbetter believes that the Harrison act within ten years will completely wipe out the drug curse in the United States.

SUFFERING HUMANITY IN EUROPE NEEDS AID FROM UNITED STATES

Dr. F. E. May, the executive secretary of the Georgia War Relief Committee for France and Her Allies, has received a cable from the American Relief Clearing House of Paris as follows:

"It seems an awful detail to record, but it is true that there never were so many bleeding men as there are today, and the United States is the storehouse of cotton. All sorts of devices have to be resorted to here for substitutes, but nothing, as you know, is as good as cotton in dressing wounds."

Contributions of cotton, both absorbent and non-absorbent, or funds with which to purchase it are urgently solicited.

Many Consumptives.

The following cable was also received:

"One of the results of the war which we are beginning to notice with growing concern is the number of consumptives which have developed. The number of these men perhaps reaches at the present moment between 50,000 and 60,000; whose condition is such that they may be cured, provided immediate aid is given them, but who will become hopelessly infected if the disease is allowed to progress much further. It is not only the distress of their own personal situation that causes us this concern, but it is the fact that another generation depends to a very large extent on their health.

"At a very low cost per individual the disease may not only be arrested, but may be cured altogether. The cost will probably not exceed four francs per head per day for three months.

Cash Needed.

"Will you not send us a cash contribution with which we may, in a measure at least, relieve this situation? Leather shoes, rubber overshoes, rubber boots and ponchos are very much needed. Contributions of these articles or funds with which to purchase them will enable us to furnish protection from the weather for those who are compelled by force of circumstances to be out in the rain and storm by night and day.

"Cotton thread, darning cotton, needles, buttons, safety pins, bath towels, ordinary towels, woolen yarn and knitting machines are also in demand."

Packages with a detailed list of contents if plainly marked with the names and addresses of the contributor and consignee and shipped prepaid to the warehouse of the Georgia War Relief Committee, 167 Peachtree street, Atlanta, Ga., will be transported from Atlanta to destination in France without expense to the contributor.

Cash contributions and all inquiries should be addressed to Dr. F. E. May, Executive Secretary, 501 Grand Opera House building, Atlanta.

Rev. Dunbar Ogden Answers Constitution Editorial, "Judge Not"

Editor Constitution: In your editorial, "Judge Not," you say, "There is no moral issue whatever in the forthcoming election." But I remember that a few weeks ago you said there was no moral issue in the gambling devices that in double column lined one of our streets for three or four blocks. All that you saw in that situation was that "in some kind of a side show, held on a public street, somebody conducted some sort of a toy lottery, which, by the way, was promptly stopped upon complaint."

The whole city smiled when your former editorial appeared. Every one knew that you were mistaken. I am sure that as our morally thoughtful citizens have this morning read your editorial they have realized, whatever be their line-up in the recall campaign, that you are mistaken again.

You suggest that the ministers need to remember Christ's words, "Judge not, that ye be not judged." If you will read a little further in the same chapter you will find these words of our Master: "By their fruits ye shall know them." We must hold the two teachings in proper balance. The first warns us against a self-righteous, censorious spirit: the second directs us in the matter of choosing our leaders. While both apply to our present issue; you readily see that the second is even more pertinent than the first.

You complain that the ministers "have departed from their own particular sphere to enter a political campaign." One of the most vivid recollections of my boyhood is the bitter denunciation heaped by the New Orleans press upon the great Dr. B. M. Palmer when he attacked the Louisiana State Lottery as an immoral institution. Every great daily of New Orleans was on the lottery side. Of course, they saw no moral issue in that campaign. They poured the vials of their wrath upon this fearless minister, who, always careful to withhold himself from partisan politics, was unwilling to be silent in the hour of a great moral crisis. In the course of time when the storm was over and the lottery driven out, the same papers rejoiced over "the closed issue," which was closed in spite of them, and largely through the clear, insistent voice of God's prophet.

The moral issue in the recall campaign, as I see it, is simply this: Is Atlanta's chief of police in the enforcement of law to be protected by the laws created for his protection, or is he to be left to the mercy of men hostile to him because of the very fact that he has enforced the law? I was present throughout the trial of Chief Beavers, and I have never heard so complete an exoneration of any man.

This issue is intensified by the manifest effort of the daily press—before, during and since the trial—to keep the people from knowing all the facts. I rejoice to see that some of our papers are changing their policy. The editorial column is rightly used to voice the opinion of the paper; but when, through silence or half truths, or partisan emphasis in headlines, poison is put into the fountain source of the community's thought life touching current events, a moral issue of the first magnitude has arisen.

Deep down in my heart there is a great desire to be used to unite our divided community. One thing seems to me very clear: such oneness can never come until we learn to put morals above business, and to stand together for the enforcement of law among all classes alike. Yours respectfully,

(REV.) DUNBAR H. OGDEN.

STENOGRAPHERS.

By GEORGE FITCH,
Author of "At Good Old Siwash."

A stenograher is a young lady who takes down the hard thunk thoughts of her employer in a note-book and afterwards edits and improves them on a typewriter, as soon as she has done up her cuffs, revised here hair, manicured her nails and modified her complexion.

There was a time when there were no stenographers, and business offices were gloomy places, in which men swore and wore hats, smoked cigars and kept their feet on the tables and their coats on hooks in the closets. Then the cheery stenographer was invented and through her coming, most of the gloom has been dispelled.

Stenographers are manufactured by business colleges out of shop girls, farmers' daughters and assistant housekeepers, with now and then a high school graduate as a prize package. They have good educations and can spell almost any small word by ear. However, the memory of the average stenographer is somewhat defective, which makes it almost impossible for her to understand her notes after they have stood for a few minutes.

Stenographers are great linguists and are forever inventing new words and phrases. A stenographer will write "Supreme Cuff," "snubongination," "Witness be noses and says" and other remarkable improvements on the language, without giving it a thought. Indeed, most of them are very modest over these achievements and will take half an hour of their employer's valuable time to convince him he is entitled to all the credit of the improvement.

Stenographers get from $2 a week to $10,000 a year and earn less and more than this. A poor stenographer is dear at $2 a week, while there is always a waiting list of eager employers for the $150 a month stenographer who sharpens her pencils in her spare time, and writes letters which can be "signed but not read."

Stenographers should always dress modestly and refrain from anything but business conversation during office hours. Unless they do this, they are very likely to become millionaires' wives, or to meet some other equally terrible fate.

GRADY TRUSTEES TO SEEK $60,000

Will Insist That Finance Committee of Council Make Provision for Nurses' Dormitory—Need Is Great.

The Grady hospital board of trustees at yesterday afternoon's meeting unanimously agreed to go before next year's finance committee of council and insist that $60,000 be appropriated for the purpose of building a nurses' dormitory.

Superintendent W. B. Summerall, in his annual report, pointed out the distressing conditions under which the sixty-five white nurses and scores of negro nurses are compelled to live at Grady hospital. A dozen or more are forced to live on a sleeping porch, while as many more are in a room built for patients. About twenty-five live in an old, dilapidated building in which the rooms are so small that the nurses are compelled to climb over the back of their beds in order to get into them at night.

For maintenance expense for next year the board decided to request of council a total of $161,500, against $149,207.75 for this year.

The question of taking over the contagious hospital of the city, which is near Grady hospital, under the management of Grady, thereby saving the city considerable overhead expense, was discussed by the trustees. However, no definite decision was reached.

Pay wards for Grady again consumed the attention of the trustees. It was shown that by the decrease in the use of pay wards during the past year fully $40,000 was lost to the city from patients who came to Grady hospital. They desired that hospital, and, although willing to pay for their treatment, could not do so as the few pay wards were always full.

Members of the board in discussing the question of having more pay wards during the next year pointed out that the city has given Grady only $100,000 for new buildings. This sum was used to build the annex in 1910. Since that time from the limited number of pay wards a total of about $50,000 has been returned to the city treasury.

The trustees feel that with a more general use of pay wards city council can be induced more readily to appropriate $60,000 for the nurses' dormitory, as the money would soon be paid back into the city treasury.

The proposed building for the nurses would be of fireproof construction, containing fifty bedrooms, each furnishing accommodations for two nurses.

FOUR BOYS HELD FOR RECENT ROW IN DRUG STORE

Charged with having attempted to wreck the drug store of E. Friedman, 267 South Boulevard, Sunday night, and with having beaten Friedman, four boys were held to the grand jury under bonds of $100 in police matinee Tuesday afternoon.

Six boys, J. A. Hutcheson, Laurie Waldrop, Earl Carter, Bob Gaston, F. C. Simmons and G. D. Simmons were arrested by Officers McDaniel and Watson, who stated that they were called to the drug store Sunday night to stop a general free-for-all in the store.

Friedman stated that the boys had come into his place of business, ordered drinks and then, because he was slow in giving change, had attempted to force the cash register, beat him and wreck the place.

As evidence that there had been a row at the store, Friedman exhibited a bruised head, bloody shirt and a change glass which is said to have been used as a weapon.

Recorder Johnson dismissed the cases against Waldrop and Gaston, but stated that evidence in the trial pointed strongly to the fact that the other four boys had gone there for the purpose of having a row, had succeeded in raising one and should pay for it.

MRS. BARTON PAYS $5.75 FOR SLAPPING WOMAN

Mrs. Leila Barton, 62 Central place, was fined $5.75 in police matinee Tuesday afternoon for having slapped Mrs. M. S. Long, 62 Walker street, at the residence of the former several days ago.

According to Mrs. Barton, Mrs. Long had cursed her because the latter had thought that Mrs. Barton had been taking about Mrs. Long's relatives.

Mrs. Long claimed that the Barton woman had been talking about a relative and that she had wound up the conversation with the slap.

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PATROL OF OYSTER BEDS WILL START JANUARY 1

Commissioner Arnow Preparing to Put New Fish Law Into Effect.

The season for taking oysters and fish on the coast of Georgia is now fairly on, and State Game and Fish Commissioner Charles S. Arnow is preparing to put into operation the recently-enacted salt water fish bill, which becomes effective January 1.

This law provides for a system of patrol which shall protect the oyster beds of the state. It is designed to give such protection to these beds as will make it profitable for business men to lease the oyster beds owned by the state.

Such leases, as a business proposition, would not only bring the state much revenue, but will also bring the cultivation of oysters in Georgia up to a high state of perfection.

Commissioner Arnow has just returned from a trip to the coast counties, where he made arrangements to put the law into operation.

BIG CHRISTMAS TREE AT HOLMES INSTITUTE

A Christmas tree will be given by the Holmes institute to more than 300 of the poor colored children of the city Thursday night in the chapel of the institute. Over two-thirds of these children are students of the institute.

A chorus of 100 of the students of the Holmes institute will furnish music. Recitations and dialogues will be rendered by the students.

B. R. Holmes, president of the Holmes institute, will deliver the principal address, explaining the meaning of Christmas and how it should be observed. A Christmas present will be given each poor student present. Presents will also be sent to many who are not able to be present on account of their clothing being not sufficient to protect them from the cold. The public is asked to contribute to this fund.

PROBATION ORDINANCE GETS FAVORABLE REPORT

Creates Office of Adult Probationer as Separate Department of Police.

The ordinance creating the office of adult probationer as a separate department of police, which was prepared by a special committee of council, received a favorable report from the committee on ordinances and legislation yesterday afternoon.

It will go to council next Monday afternoon and will probably be adopted.

The only change made in the ordinance as prepared by the special committee was to strike the age limit of the probation officer, it having been fixed at 50 years or over.

Attorney Thomas B. Felder appeared before the committee to advocate the adoption of the ordinance. He said he was present merely as a citizen who believed that the probation office of Atlanta was doing a great work for the uplift of humanity.

Recorder Pro Tem. Meade was present and stated that Recorder Johnson, while approving the probation system, wanted action on the ordinance postponed until after the police board committee had made a report.

Alderman Maddox, chairman of the special council committee that drafted the ordinance, stated that the police committee wanted the ordinance adopted, so it could make a report the same as had already been made to council by the special committee.

Probation Officer Coogler told the committee how his department had been operated and said he thought the ordinance a good one.

The members of the ordinance committee who were present and voted for a favorable report were Alderman J. N. Renfroe, Alderman J. R. Seawright and Councilman Frank Reynolds.

NOTWITHSTANDING RAIN, DORSEY HOG WAS KILLED

A discouraging downpour is no obstacle to Solicitor General Hugh M. Dorsey when it comes "hog killing" time, and the event is scheduled for certain specific hours.

In yesterday's rain the solicitor, accompanied by Marshal Nelms, who is now attached to his office, traveled to the Dorsey country place, far out Wieuca road, beyond Buckhead, where a 180-pounder was put in splendid preparation for the sausage grinder and smokehouse within remarkably short time.

"Hog killing" day is an event on the Dorsey country place. Nothing short of calamity can prevent it from coming off annually on schedule.

Father, Mother

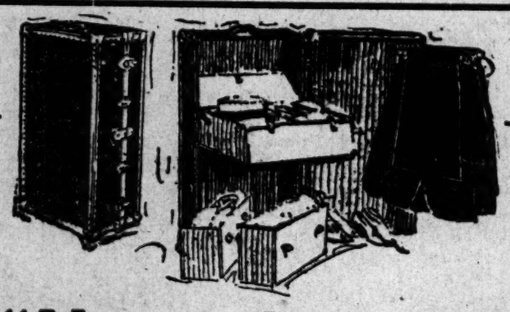
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Society

In Garden of Poinsettia Guests Dine at Druid Hills Club

The first floor of the Druid Hills Golf club was converted into a garden of poinsettia and woodland foliage, when last night 300 of the club members and their friends, while dining, had the pleasure of hearing Miss Betty Lee, of New York, sing, and of seeing Miss Claude Bacon dance.

The guests assembled in the main hallway at 7:45 o'clock, and at 8 o'clock the dinner began in the ball room, where the tables were in half-circle around the room, leaving an open space for the appearance of the gifted singer and danseuse. Tables were placed in the hallway to further accommodate the guests, and the occasion in every detail was brilliant and enjoyable.

The spacious walls of the club admitted of a beautiful decoration in garlands of evergreen drawn from the center chandelier to the corners of the room and hung with Christmas bells and studded with red shaded electric lights.

The Decorations.

In the corners were high palms, through their foliage showing the poinsettia blossoms in tropical height. In the smaller hall and adjoining room were Christmas decorations in red and green. The windows were hung with the lace green wreaths, and Christmas bells in clusters were suspended from the doorways.

The ball room was a scene of dazzling beauty in the vivid red of the poinsettia, their blooms on long stems, marking the center of each table, and there were the shorter-stemmed blooms combined with fern, further used as a decoration. The garlands, which were hung from the center light of the ceiling and drawn to the corners of the room, were radiant with crimson shaded lights and hung with the symbolic Christmas bells. The table decorations reflected the poinsettia colors in cakes and bonbons, and the decorative menu cards and the program of entertainment was likewise ornate. The menu was excellent. The guests expressed a spirit of enjoyment, which is the test of a club's hospitality.

The Program.

The program of entertainment began with dinner, and the first number was a group of songs by Miss Betty Lee. Her interpretative songs proclaimed her as an artist, and her personality is most winsome. She sang first Rudolph Frimel's 'Love Is Like a Firefly," and imparted to it an esprit which interested and delighted her audience. Her next selection, a French song, was as winsome as the singer.

In those favorite songs, "The Little Gray Home in the West" and "The Perfect Day," she was charming, concluding that group with two French songs. Miss Lee won her most enthusiastic applause when she sang with art and grace a number of southern melodies. Her encores were well selected, and she received all the tributes that music-loving people accord the beautiful woman achieving in her chosen branch of music.

The Lovely Danseuse.

Miss Claude Bacon's first step in the "Danse Les Patineurs" expressed her knowledge of the art of dancing and the spirit of her work drew her audience with her, delighted with every number of her program. The "Danse Bacchique" was exquisitely interpreted, and an old French dance of the directoire period gave the gifted artist the opportunity to prove the poetry of motion. Her costumes were in harmony with every dance, and her dances came as response to most appreciative applause.

Miss Lee and Miss Bacon were guests in the brilliant dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Atkinson, their guests Mr. and Mrs. John W. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Draper, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark, Mrs. St. Julien Ravenel, Miss Ada Alexander, Mr. J. H. Nunnally, Mr. J. B. Connally.

An excellent orchestra program accompanied the general dancing, which followed dinner, and continued. There were many visitors and many beautiful toilets were to be seen.

Hosts and Guests.

Among the hosts and hostesses were: Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson, Governor and Mrs. Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Inman, Mr. and Mrs. Ottley, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer L. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Adair, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bagley, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Speer, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Newell, Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Beaumont Davison, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adair, Mr. Bowie Martin, Mr. William Grant, Mr. Dan McDougald, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dargan, Dr. and Mrs. Dunbar Roy, Mr. and Mrs. Lowry Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elyea, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kiser, Colonel and Mrs. William Lawson Peel, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hockaday, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Cobbs, Mr. Fred McGonigal, Mr. Welborn Blalock, Dr. and Mrs. Cyrus Strickler.

The Visitors.

Among the visitors at the ball were: Judge and Mrs. William Bailey Lamar, of Washington; Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hodgson, of Athens; Miss Miriam Sykes, of Columbus, Miss; the Baron and Baroness Rosenkrantz, Captain DuPont and Mr. Ogden Persons. Among the Atlanta guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Richardson, Dr. and Mrs. Elkin, Mr. and Mrs. Lowry Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Paine, Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Maddox, Mr. and Mrs. Arkwright, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kiser, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orme, Mr. and Mrs. Winship Nunnally, Captain Graham Johnston, Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Atchison, Miss Ridley, Miss Riley, Miss Atchison, Mr. Remsen King, Mr. Robert Troutman, Mr. William Campbell, Mr. William Manry, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McHan, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Shelton, Miss Henrietta Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dowman, Mr. and Mrs. George Usher, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ashcraft, Miss Isolene Campbell, Miss Mary Murphy, Dr. Williams, Mr. Cator Woolford, Mr. Ross Calif, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Darby, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cone, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Pomeroy, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Blackman, Mr. and Mrs. George McCarty, Miss Mignon McCarty, Mr. James Alexander, Mr. Brooks Morgan, Dr. and Mrs. Stephen Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, Miss Armstrong, Dr. and Mrs. F. G. Hodgson, Mr. Russell Richards, Mr. William J. Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, of Miami, Fla.; Dr. and Mrs. LeRoy Childes, Mr. and Mrs. Cone Maddox, Mr. Walter Browne, Judge and Mrs. Pardee, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Remsen, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Cobb Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gregg, Mr. and Mrs. Brandon, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Ellis, Dr. and Mrs. Calhoun, Mrs. William Tilt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry DeGive, Miss Bowman, Miss Jennie D. Harris, Miss May Atkinson, Miss Arkwright, Miss Fraser, Miss Harriett McDaniel, Miss Catharine Ellis, Miss Margaret Grant, Miss Julia Murphy, Miss Mamie Ansley, Miss Margaret McCarty, Miss Lucile Kuhrt, Miss Patterson, Mr. Lauren Foreman, Mr. Lee Harvey, Mr. Norman Cooledge, Mr. McGonigal, Mr. Henry Newman, Dr. Ballenger, Mr. Willard McBurney and many others.

Children's Party.

Master William Lawson entertained at a delightful masquerade dancing party yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiliam Lawson, in Ansley Park.

The house had bright Christmas decorations, and the ices, cakes and bonbons were in red and white.

The guests were Misses Florence Boykin, Susie Bucknell, Elizabeth and Eugenia Buchanan, Elizabeth Crawford, Pearl Fennell, Lella Kirkpatrick, Caroline McKemie, Dorothy McCollough, Margaret Mitchell, Maud Powers, Courtney Ross, Flora Belle Reynolds, Mary Lee Slaughter, Elizabeth Setze, Margaret Wilkinson, Mesdrs. Erskine Jarnagin, Robert Lee Avary, James Boykin, Harian Bucknell, William Coburn, Shelley Davis, Atwood Cole, Robert and Dick Goodhart, Charles Hurt, John Jacobs, Walter Kirkpatrick, T. S. Lewis, George Moore, Henry Nevin, William Patterson, Horace Powers, Caleb Richmond, Wingate Jackson, George Rosser, Lee Turman, Wendell Wesley and Preston Arkwright.

Tea-Dance at Driving Club.

An event of the afternoon will be the tea-dance at the Driving club, when many large parties will be entertained. Miss Rosa Coates and Mr. Leo Wickland will give exhibition dances.

Judge and Mrs. William Bailey Lamar will be honor guests in a party entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Marye. Mr. and Mrs. John E. Murphy will entertain the Baron and Baroness Marcus Rosencrantz.

Dr. and Mrs. Floyd McRae will entertain for Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Evans, their guests to include eight friends, and Mr. and Mrs. George McCarty, Jr., will have ten friends with them in honor of Miss Mildred Sykes, of Columbus, Miss.

Mrs. St. Julian Ravenel, of New York, will be the central figure in a party entertained by Mr. and Mrs. John S. Cohen, who will have with them Mr. and Mrs. Lowry Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Macon Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Holland and John S. Cohen, Jr.

Mrs. Barry Wright, of Rome, who is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Ulric Atkinson, will be the honor guest in Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Cowles' party, which will be completed by Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Wyckliffe Goldsmith, Jr., and Mr. Charles Phillips.

Miss Harriet McDaniel and Miss Dorothy Arkwright will share honors in the party given by Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. DeGive, whose other guests will be Miss Margaret Grant, Miss Katherine Ellis, Miss Marian Atchison, Miss Jennie D. Harris, Miss Agnes Gray, Mr. Wilmer, of Washington City; Dr. Edgar Ballenger, Mr. Ralph Ragan, Mr. James Ragan, Mr. William Dickey, Mr. Saunders Jones, Dr. Jere Osborne, Mr. Henry Elliott and Mr. Henry Newman.

The large party of young people whom Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dargan, Jr., will entertain in compliment to Miss Florine Hardwick, of Cedartown, and Mr. William McKenzie, will include Miss Janet Hatcher, Miss Pattie McGehee, Miss Anne Patterson, Miss Frances Winship, Miss Lucille Kuhrt, Miss Gladys Byrd, Miss Julia Murphy, Miss Alice Muse, Miss Nellie Dodd, Mr. Erwin Broyles, Mr. Howell Jackson, Mr. Humphrey Bassett, of New Haven, Conn.; Mr. William Kiser, Jr., Mr. Conkey Whitehead, Mr. Eugene Haynes, Mr. Orme Campbell, Mr. William Grant, Mr. Robert F. Maddox, Jr., Mr. Eugene Black, Jr., Mr. John Oliver, Mr. Henry Grady, Mr. Charles Orme, of New York; Mr. Edward Swift, of Chicago; Mr. Joe Whitehead, Mr. Charles Rawson and Mr. Dan Hall. Assisting Mr. and Mrs. Dargan in chaperoning the party will be Mr. and Mrs. Dozier Lowndes.

Among others who will entertain a small number of guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Strother Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Nelson, Mrs. Albert E. Thornton, Mrs. George Muse, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Farley, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Broyles, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Newell, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Christie, Mr. and Mrs. William Lowry Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Gus T. Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rains, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gentry, Mrs. George Boynton, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith, Mr. Welborn Blalock, Lieutenant and Mrs. W. A. Hodgman, Dr. and Mrs. Cyrus Strickler and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Atchison.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Turman entertained at a delightful dinner party last evening at their home, Hexagon Hall, for their young daughters, Misses Lethea and Helen Turman.

The house was decorated with holly wreaths, mistletoe and poinsettia and red azaleas.

The guests were seated for dinner in the dining room at two long tables, similarly decorated with baskets of red azaleas. Silver candlesticks held red unshaded candles, and the mints, ices and other details of color were in red. Following dinner dancing was enjoyed.

Mrs. Turman was gowned in black net and silver. Miss Helen Turman wore white net combined with lace, and Miss Lethea Turman was gowned in white taffetas.

The guests were Miss Lethea Turman, Miss Helen Turman, Miss Lula Groves Campbell, Miss Catherine Hook, Miss Margaret Carmichael, Miss Laura Belle Turman, Miss Ruth Benson, Miss Garda Horton, Mr. Marion Hull, Mr. Alex King, Jr., Mr. Lowry Nicolson, Mr. Thomas Hull, Mr. Junius Millard, Mr. Robert Robinson, Mr. Donald Forrest, Mr. Edgar Dunlap, Jr., Mr. Paschall Carmichael, Mr. Henry Hynds and others.

For Visitor.

Miss Willie Kate Travis entertained informally at luncheon yesterday at her home on North Jackson street, in compliment to Miss Elizabeth Gayle, of Shreveport, La., who is the guest of Miss Mary Disbro.

The table had as its centerpiece a white wicker basket filled with red carnations and ferns, and the place cards were hand-painted in ferns.

The guests were Miss Gayle, Miss Disbro, Miss Vee Strickland, Miss Mabel Hurt, Miss Margaret Green, Mrs. Walter Smith, of Columbus, and Miss Ruby McGaughey.

Stockton-Kersey.

Mr. Albert Young Evins, of Philadelphia, Pa., announces the marriage of his sister, Mrs. Elise Evins Stockton, of Atlanta, to Mr. Charles Harvey Kersey, of Washington, D. C., on Tuesday morning, December 28, at the bride's home on Ponce de Leon avenue. Dr. L. O. Bricker performed the ceremony, which, on account of a recent bereavement in the bride's family, was witnessed by only the family. Mr. and Mrs. Kersey left immediately for New York, where they will spend several weeks at the Vanderbilt. They will be at home on their return at 310 Ponce de Leon avenue.

To Miss Wimpy.

Mrs. W. E. Wimpy gave a beautiful card party yesterday at Hallyburton Hall, her home at Clarkston, in compliment to Miss Emily Wimpy, who is home from Wesleyan for the holidays.

The game was played in the great hall, a room of stately proportion, which was festive with palms, and the Christmas garlands and wreaths, with vases of American Beauty roses.

The score cards were water-color pictures of girls in fur-trimmed costume, the artistic work of the hostess, and there were souvenir hat pins for all the guests, the pins tied with Christmas ribbons. The prizes were a vanity bag and a Dorine box.

Punch was served from a bowl hung with grapes, and imbedded in ferns, and a dainty luncheon was served at the card tables.

There were eighteen guests.

Mrs. Wimpy wore a becoming gown of wistaria cloth, and Miss Wimpy wore colored velvet.

To Miss Sykes.

Mrs. Marion Smith will give a small luncheon Friday in compliment to Miss Miriam Sykes, of Mississippi, the guest of Mrs. George W. McCarty, Jr.

Fraternity Dance.

The S. V. D. fraternity will have a dance at the Terpsichorean club this evening. Members of local clubs are invited to attend.

Gresham-Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Stokes Gresham, of Watson Springs, announce the marriage of their daughter, Gladys Aline, to Mr. Wilbur Leon Walker, of Greensboro, on Wednesday afternoon, December 22, at the residence of Rev. Kennedy, who officiated.

Pullin-Baxter.

Miss Ines E. Pullin and Mr. J. H. Lloyd Baxter, both of Griffin, Ga., were married in Atlanta on Thursday, December 28.

The ceremony took place in Trinity Methodist church, Dr. C. O. Jones, the pastor, officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter, after spending several days in Atlanta, returned to Griffin, where they are to reside.

Mr. Baxter is one of Griffin's most prominent young business men, being secretary-treasurer of the Gresham Manufacturing company. The bride is one of the city's most popular and charming young ladies. The happy couple have many friends who are extending them all good wishes.

Miss Giddings' Dance.

Miss Catherine Giddings' holiday dance was a delightful event among the college set, taking place last night at the home of the parents, Dr. and Mrs. Giddings, in Ansley Park.

The decorations were a picturesque use of the holiday foliage and flowers, and the holiday red and green were carried out in pretty detail.

Miss Giddings was charming in pink crepe meteor, and Mrs. Giddings was gowned in black lace.

Assisting in entertaining were Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Gately, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Crichton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burr.

Eighty young people enjoyed the occasion.

Choral Club.

The Mendelssohn Choral club resumed its regular meeting last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Horine, Mr. Wilford Watters directing.

To Miss Mary Ross.

Mrs. Joseph P. Billups gave a beautiful luncheon yesterday at the Capital City club for her school girl daughter, Miss Mary Ross, twenty young girls enjoying the occasion.

The luncheon table, set in a private dining room, was a bright picture in red and green. The centerpiece was a mound of poinsettias, smilax was garlanded on the tablecover and the place card designs were poinsettias. The silver candlesticks had red shades and individual red baskets held the almonds.

Mrs. Billups was becomingly gowned in brown charmeuse and fur with a brown velvet hat, and Miss Ross wore a dainty white crepe de chine gown with hat of black velvet and tulle.

The guests were Misses Nell Choate, Grace Bloodworth, Mary Stewart, Ann Patterson, Nellie Dodd, Louise Dobbs, Rudine Becht, Martha Louise Cassels, Marian Dunson, Louise Richardson, Georgia Rice, Janet Hatcher, Charlotte Williams, Dorothy Arkwright, Sarah Eubanks, Harriet Bayly, Marian Stearns, Frances Winship and Courtney Ross.

Family Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. McWhorter Milner entertained at family dinner last night at their home on Stewart avenue, and the occasion was one of delightful hospitality.

Covers were laid for fourteen and the table centerpiece was a large Christmas pie, elaborately decorated and filled with favors. On top of the pie was a diminutive Santa Claus and two little Christmas trees, and Santa Claus pictures and trees were the design on runners the length of the table. From the chandelier was a shower of smilax, red bells and favors and many other pretty details continued the Christmas suggestion.

Throughout the house there was picturesque arrangement of the Christmas flowers and foliage.

Bridge Luncheon.

Miss Florine Jones gave a pretty card party yesterday morning at the Piedmont Driving club, the company, a gay group of sixteen school girl friends.

After the game a dainty luncheon was served, the luncheon table picturesque with poinsettias, smilax and other holiday suggestions.

To Mrs. McCarley.

Mrs. M. P. McCarley, of Buffalo, Ala., was guest of honor at a Christmas dinner given by her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. McCarley, the occasion a beautiful one, assembling a family group.

The table centerpiece was a Christmas tree, individual trees were favors, and the Christmas suggestion was continued in effective detail.

Miss Harriette Broyles Weds Mr. Hamilton of Washington

Judge and Mrs. Nash R. Broyles announce the marriage of their daughter, Harriette, to Mr. Thornton Hamilton, of Washington, D. C., which took place Tuesday afternoon at St. James Episcopal church in Marietta, Dr. Claiborne officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton leave today for a trip to New York, and they will make their home in Washington.

The bride, who is one of the prettiest and most popular young women in Atlanta, finished her school life only last June at the Hamilton school in Washington. A debutante of this season, her marriage interrupted a bright young ladyhood.

Mr. Hamilton, a Virginian by birth, is an architect meeting with success in his profession.

Why, Look Who's Here--- The January White Sale

The first violet is no surer herald of spring than January is of the "Annual Whtie sale," and the women folks who are fore-handed are already taking stock of their depleted linens, household and personal, that they may take advantage of the January special offers, as regularly anticipated as the newspaper "shop-early" campaign before Christmas.

There be those cold-blooded and unsympathetic lookers-on who read the advertisements, but have never learned to profit by the white sales with which every dry goods merchant stimulates what would be otherwise a dull business after the holiday rush. These same skeptics are apt to look upon the apparent extravagance of the white sale announcement in much the same light as they would the bombast in a circus ad. But if a circus provides the right atmosphere, and keeps its three rings going, so that no human eye can take it all in at once, was there ever anybody but a confirmed grouch who would deny that this particular show is the greatest on earth, and that he or she got the worth of his money?

Atlanta dry goods merchants have a splendid reputation for integrity. So undeniably is this true, that a shopping preference for one or the other store may most frequently be traced to a matter of personality—either the atmosphere of the shop or the psychology of the shopper.

The opportunity to get the worth of one's money is not limited to the advantages offered by any one store. General shopping proves that there is a remarkably common realization among the merchants of good sense in providing value and direct dealing.

Their windows will soon be filled with snowy linens and cotton goods.

One merchant will feature in his display the daintiest be-ribboned muslins; underwear so glorified in its exquisiteness that we Americans have allowed ourselves to be persuaded out of our own language to give it a fittingly glorified name.

(And, by the way, did anybody ever hear any two American salesmen pronounce that word alike—lingerie?)

Another will specialize in his windows, table linens, new patterns in shiny damasks or special prices on standard designs, which no woman can resist who loves home and makes its completeness her ambition.

The linens and cotton goods for every domestic use; tub garments, even to the shirtwaist—that democratic uniform which somebody has said comes nearer than anything else to level all ranks from princess to nursery maid—these and other lines are in process of being tagged.

On the other hand, Atlanta women, equipped with Christmas gifts, which are oftentimes worse than mere luxuries, are preparing to descend upon the white goods sales to find what they really want.

No matter if the filmy muslins, the cool linens, show dimly through frost-bedimmed windows, and furs must be wrapped close around the beholder, yet she will find it a happy opportunity to spend her Christmas money and to put her household on a comfortable basis of equipment for the New Year.

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SOCIETY

Como Club Dance.

A pleasant event of Friday evening will be the special New Year's eve dance given by the Como club at Lane's studio on Peachtree street from 9 p. m. to 1 a. m. A most enjoyable time is anticipated.

Hyperion Club Dance.

A bright event of the holidays was the Christmas dance given by the Hyperion club Saturday evening. The clubrooms were decorated appropriately for the occasion and punch and eggnog were served. An added pleasure was the presence of a number of attractive visitors and girls home from college for the holidays.

Those attending the dance were Miss Lucille Haynes, Miss Florrie Griffin, Miss Beth Gayle, of Shreveport, La.; Miss Mabel Whitney, Miss Ruth Blackman and her guest, Miss Mildred Brown, of New Haven, Conn.; Miss Mattie Lou Richardson, Miss Justine Henderson, Miss Elizabeth Clayton, Miss Katherine Graham, Miss Lucille Dunn, Miss Sarah Sasnett, Miss Bennett Powell, Miss Estelle Withers, Miss Annie Coleman, Miss Lois Carroll, Miss Ruth Moore, Miss Rena Johnson, Miss Vie Swanson, Miss Elizabeth Steele, of Little Rock, Ark.; Miss Jennie Mae Calloway, Miss Marie Oliver, Miss Kate Moore, Miss Sarah Cheney, Miss Emma Moore, Miss Louise Mellichamp, Miss Grace Cates, Miss Idelia Andrews, Miss Lucille Chancellor, Miss Ruth Cain, Miss Mary Tiller, Miss Lucille Daley, Miss Bessie Hollowell, Miss Theodosia Andrews, Miss Lois Belk, Miss Louise Loomis, Miss Minna Miller, Miss Mamie Morris, Miss Florrie Wood, Miss Edwina Harper, Miss Marie Turner, Miss Maude Rollestone, Miss Edith Hudson and Mr. C. P. McDowell, Mr. Herman Cook, Mr. L. P. Dalhouse, Mr. Carl P. Smith, Mr. Paul R. Bouzigues, Mr. Gordon M. Hill, Mr. J. B. Jackson, Mr. J. B. Sutties, Mr. W. A. Suttles, Mr. Cliff Ragsdale, Mr. Robert W. Spiers, Mr. Cuyler Trussell, Mr. Sandy Russell, Mr. Karl Cochran, Mr. C. D. Smith, Mr. Grant Davis, Mr. Charles G. Cowan, Mr. J. Curtis Bell, Jr., Mr. Joe T. Laumius, Mr. Charles H. Clement, Mr. Cathrall Smith, Mr. I. W. Wilson, Jr., Mr. Luther Randall, Mr. Donald Atchison, Mr. Allan Callahan, Mr. W. Thomas Laird, Mr. Ray Love, Mr. Franklin Chalmers, Mr. Allen Stewart, Mr. W. P. Hendrix, Mr. George C. Goodwin, Mr. Owen Lively, Dr. Fred Curtis, Mr. John Massa, Mr. Walter Chambers, Mr. J. E. Walters, Mr. C. E. Kruger, Mr. Johnny Dobbs, of Nashville, Tenn.; Mr. H. P. Andrews, Mr. W. L. Jackson, Mr. George R. Barker, Mr. John R. Jordan, Mr. W. B. Potts, Mr. J. E. Cochran, Mr. Forrest H. Carroll, Mr. J. G. Feist, Mr. F. S. Earnshaw, Mr. H. R. Thornburgh, Mr. E. H. Beall, Mr. E. R. Walker, Mr. H. M. C. Laird, Mr. R. H. Atkinson, Mr. L. T. Law, Mr. J M. Phillips, Mr. John Sutton, Mr. P. C. Bellamy, Mr. E. A. Bancker, Mr. J. P. Mellichamp, Mr. Sam Swilling, Mr. Gordon Freeman, Mr. Ernest Allen, Mr. E. K. Patton, Mr. M. F. Hall, Mr. J. S. McCreight, Mr. W. A. Cochran, Mr. J. L. Wright, Jr., Mr. Stratford Johnson, Mr. Claude Daley, Mr. Henry Collinsworth, Mr. Carl A. Taylor, Mr. Eugene Burke, Mr. C. C. Selesky, Mr. R. H. Leonard, Mr. B. M. Whiteley, Mr. J. E. Coleman, Mr. J. W. Arnold, Mr. James T. Miller, Mr. Bryan Baldwin, Mr. Carroll McConnell, Mr. Jeter Weems, Mr. E. D. Lester, Mr. Harry Carr, Mr. Clarence W. Harrison, Mr. Judson H. Lanier, Mr. M. B. Durrette, Mr. Otis A. Barge, Mr. E. B. Blease, Jr., Mr. B. G. Wallis, Mr. F. A. Ward, Mr. A. J. Christopher, Mr. Paul Turner, Mr. Robin M. Lockhart, Jr., of New York; Mr. Joseph W. Harper, Mr. Charles J. Lowe, of Lithonia, Ga.; Mr. Carl Marbut, of Chattanooga, and Mr. Cliff W. Brown.

The chaperons were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, of Columbus, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Baldwin, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Myers Lovelace, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jarvis, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Camp, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Jenkins, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Potts and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Clayton.

The next dance of the Hyperion club will be an informal dance Friday evening, December 31, 1915.

M'DONALD-HARRIS.

Thomasville, Ga., December 28.—(Special.)—Miss Blanche McDonald and Mr. James Harvey Harris were married here on Sunday at noon, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. W. H. Harris at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McDonald. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion in the bridal colors of green and white. The bride wore a handsome coat suit of blue, trimmed with fur. After the ceremony the couple left for Douglas, where they will live.

WEIL-KEMPER.

Savannah, Ga., December 28.—(Special.)—A brilliant and interesting wedding which took place at Temple Mickve Israel tonight was that of Miss Elise Weil, of Savannah, daughter of the late Arthur L. Weil, to Mr. Armand Kemper, of Baltimore. The wedding ceremony was followed by a reception and dance at the De Soto hotel. Many out-of-town guests were present. Among them were Mr. Edward Weil, the bride's brother, who came from the University of Pennsylvania, and Mrs. David Stern and Miss Madeleine Stern, from Chicago.

Many guests came from Atlanta, including Mrs. Joseph Hirsch, the bride's grandmother; Miss Helen Montag, Mr. Rudolph Adler, Mr. William Rich, Mr. Sinclair Jacobs, Mr. Monie Ferst and Mr. Alvin Ferst.

Mrs. Jack Hirsch, of Atlanta, was Miss Weil's matron of honor, and Miss Madeleine Stern, of Chicago, the bride's cousin, was her matron of honor. The other bridesmaids were Miss Leola Brandeis, of New York; Miss Helen Rosenthal, of Rochester; Miss Helen Adler, of Milwaukee; Mrs. Charles Weiller and Mrs. Joe Massauer, of Baltimore, and Miss Mildred Guckenheimer, of Savannah.

The ushers and groomsmen were Mr. Moses Ferst, Mr. Sylvan Weil, Mr. Edgar Weil, Mr. Milton Weil, Mr. Alvin Ferst, Mr. Monie Ferst, Mr. Joe Massauer and Mr. Charles Weiller, of Baltimore, Mr. Sydney Sondheim of Newark, and Mr. Leslie Moses, Mr. Louis Rosenburg and Mr. Edward Morris, Jr., of Baltimore.

Many entertainments have been given for the bride and the guests. The wedding is one of the most interesting of the season.

SOCIAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Mowry and little son, who were the guests for Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. James Bedell, returned to their home yesterday in Copperhill, Tenn., and were accompanied by Miss Ellison Bedell for a visit.

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Mrs. J. J. Crawford, of Petersburg, Tenn., is visiting relatives in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. I. Y. Sage, Jr., 800 Peachtree street.

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Mrs. E. N. Jackson, who has been visiting relatives in Jacksonville, Fla., has returned to the city.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Finke, who are spending the holidays in Philadelphia, New York and Massachusetts, will return home next week.

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Mrs. M. R. Gray is critically ill at her home in the Byron apartment on West Peachtree street.

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Mr. Wirt Plane has returned to his home in Augusta after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Plane.

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Mrs. H. L. Crankshaw is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. L. T. Nichols, at Chester, S. C.

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Mrs. William Lee Ellis, of Macon, who has been visiting Mrs. Charles P. King, is the guest for this week of Mrs. C. I. Peck.

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Mr. Robert P. Stahl has been called to Albany, N. Y., by the death of his sister, Mrs. Sherman Rouse.

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Miss Lillian Youngblood is visiting her cousin, Miss Louise Bryan, in Montgomery.

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Miss Catherine Giddings will return Monday to Hollins college.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. King will go to Savannah the last of the week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blun. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blun will have guests at the same time, among them Irving Cobb, the well-known writer, and delightful entertainment is planned for the visitors.

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Miss Idelle Kimball left yesterday to spend a few days with friends in Montgomery.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Forshaw announce the birth of a son on Christmas day. Mrs. Forshaw was Miss Cornelia Budwell, of Kirkwood.

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Mr. Robert Adger Smythe, who spent the Christmas holidays in Charleston, S. C., with his family and friends, has returned to the city. Mrs. Smythe will pay her usual visit to her sister, Mrs. Frank Q. O'Neill, remaining in Charleston a week or two for the balls.

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Miss Sue Jelks Ware, of Macon, is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Hogue, in the Tyrol apartments.

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Mrs. T. B. Felder and T. B. Felder, Jr., are visiting Mrs. Felder's mother, Mrs. Norfleet, in Memphis.

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Mrs. Charles P. King, who has been ill for a week with grip, is better.

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Mrs. M. P. McCarley returned yesterday to Buffalo, Ala., after spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. P. D. McCarley.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Black have returned from Augusta.

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Miss Willie Muse is in South Carolina for a two weeks' visit.

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Mrs. Billups Phinizy, who returned to Athens for Christmas, is again the guest of Mrs. Hughes Spalding.

MEETINGS

A meeting of the Atlanta chapter, U. D. C., will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Woman's club. A pleasing program has been arranged and a full attendance is desired. The executive board is requested to meet at 2:30 o'clock in the committee room of the club.

CELEBRATION ATTENDED BY FIVE GENERATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. James Franklin Buchanan Celebrate Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. James Franklin Buchanan celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last evening at their home, 81 Cherokee avenue.

They were married in DeKalb county in 1865. They have six children, all residing in Atlanta—W. T. Buchanan, J. C. Buchanan, Mrs. W. R. Bean, Mrs. J. C. Shealor and Misses Laura May and Annie Buchanan.

Mr. Buchanan was born in DeKalb county in 1846. He served in the confederate army for four years and was twice wounded in the battle of Atlanta. He was elected to the city police force in 1871, and served under General Tige Anderson as one of the first station sergeants the city had. After several years in this position he organized the first detective force of Atlanta. Since that time he has been connected, with the exception of a few years, with the sanitary department of the city.

Mrs. Nannie A. Buchanan was born in DeKalb county in 1847, and was the daughter of Alexander H. Vaughn. Mr. Vaughn was one of the most prominent planters in the county, settling in DeKalb county when a young man. He reared a large family on the lot of land which now belongs to the county of DeKalb and the same building in which his family lived is now used by DeKalb county as an almshouse.

There were present at the gathering five generations, an aged aunt of Mr. Buchanan, Mrs. Churchill; J. F. Buchanan, W. T. Buchanan, W. F. Buchanan and W. E. Buchanan, Jr., who is J. F. Buchanan's great-grandson.

KRIEGSHABER WILL BE HONOR GUEST AT SPREAD

A banquet in honor of V. H. Kriegshaber, newly-elected presdent of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, will be given this evening at 7 o'clock at the Capital City club by Mell R. Wilkinson, the retiring presdent. The banquet, Mr. Wilkinson states, is given with the view of bringing Mr. Kriegshaber in such close relationship with the officials and directors of the chamber that they will give the same support and co-operation to him that has been accorded the retiring president during the past year. In giving up the duties of president of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Wilkinson also retires from the presidency of the Southeastern Fair association.

OFFICERS ARE ELECTED BY RAILWAY TRAINMEN

J. T. Neal was elected president of Georgia lodge, No. 866, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, at the annual election held Monday. The other officers were W. P. Glass, vice president; W. H. Brewer, past president; W. H. Loehr, secretary; L. P. Suddeth, journal agent; R. S. Hayes chaplain; C. F. Kenn, conductor; E. P. Thompson, outer guard; J. P. Hardy, inner guard; W. C. Reynolds, warden, and H. T. Loehr, delegate to the national convention of the brotherhood which meets next May in Detroit.

EXERCISES POSTPONED ON ACCOUNT OF WEATHER

The Christmas tree exercises at the Capitol View Baptist church will be held Thursday evening. This affair, which was to have been given Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Capitol View Sunday school, was postponed on account of the inclement weather.

COLUMBUS BOY SLAYER IS GRANTED FREEDOM

Griffin Held Justified in Shooting Rice to Protect Mother.

Columbus, Ga., December 28.—(Special.)—Twelve-year-old Willie Griffin was ordered freed from the county jail this morning by Justice Blandford at the preliminary hearing of the young boy, charged with murder, in connection with the killing of another boy, Bernard Rice.

Griffin placed the defense before the court that he fired the fatal shot from the shotgun to save his mother, who was being beaten over the head by Rice, who used one of the cap sticks frequently seen at Christmas time.

Judge Blandford held that the boy was justified in shooting to kill Rice in view of the fact that he was shooting to save his mother from being injured. A large crowd attended the preliminary hearing, and the entire sentiment seemed to be with Griffin.

AT THE THEATERS

"The Garden of Allah."

(At the Atlanta.)

This afternoon a matinee performance of that wonderful play, "The Garden of Allah," will be given at the Atlanta with the final performance of the engagement tonight. This play is staged exactly as in New York and is the most spectacular offering seen here in many seasons. It is larger and more splendid than "Ben-Hur" or any such plays, and employs more than 100 persons back of the footlights, to say nothing of the camels, goats and other animals which bring reality to the desert scenes. It is a vast offering of a magnitude few persons are able to imagine without seeing, and to miss it is to miss one of the wonders of the American stage. Certainly the Atlanta will not offer anything more worth while than "The Garden of Allah" in all its splendor and magnificence.

"Everywoman."

(At the Atlanta.)

One of the big scenes of the dramatic spectacle, "Everywoman," which Henry W. Savage will disclose at the Atlanta Friday and Saturday, with a Saturday matinee, represents the riotous reveling of a New York crowd on Broadway at midnight on New Year's eve. This scene alone requires in supernumeraries and others employed over 150 people. It is said to be a triumph for the stage director in the representation of fanfare, riot and carnival spirit which prevails at that period. In the English production of "Everywoman" at the Drury Lane theater, London, Stephen Phillips, the eminent lyric and dramatic poet, was engaged to localize the fourth act, or Broadway scene, and it became Piccadilly, showing the London pavilion and the Criterion restaurant, familiarly known as the "Cri." "Everywoman" proved the same huge success in England that it had been in America.

"Everywoman" is a combination of opera, musical comedy and drama with a vast display of costumes and scenery. It definitely solves the problem of providing amusement for all classes of people. It is whimsical in spirit and gay in atmosphere. Playgoers have found in it an ingenious and amusing novelty, inspiring nothing of the lugubrious spirit of the medieval drama from which Walter Browne, the author, derived it, but rich in delightful irony and humor.

The manuscript of "Everywoman" was in the hands of Mr. Savage for more than a year before its first production, and during that time the various departments of his producing establishment were busily engaged in constructing the scenic equipment and the vast paraphernalia required in the setting of the five acts. An entire symphony orchestra is carried by the organization, which is one of the largest ever toured. The production as it stands represents an expenditure of over $60,000. Mr. Savage considers "Everywoman" his greatest achievement as a producer.

Keith Vaudeville.

(At the Forsyth.)

Manager George H. Hickman, of the Forsyth theater, couldn't have made a luckier pick of Keith vaudeville acts for New Year's week than the aggregation he presents this week. From every standpoint the show is ideal holiday entertainment, crammed as full of laughs as it is healthy for any bill to be. Rolfe's "Bride Shop," the big musical comedy of vaudeville, is the headline act, offered by Andrew Tombes, as funny as men get to be, and a dozen girls, pretty and arrayed in costumes ranging from lingeries to ballroom gowns. Joe Cook, the "one-man vaudeville show," is funny enough to stop any bill, and the dances by pretty Angie Weimers and Walter Burke are the kind everybody likes. Among other offerings is one especially for the children, Tiny May's circus, featuring a trained baby elephant, a dog and a pony.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Castle.

(At the Lyric.)

The first Atlanta exhibition of "The Whirl of Life," the big Cort film sensation, featuring Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Castle, will take place at the Lyric theater this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The "million dollar feet" of the Castles will be seen in this picture at the Lyric all the rest of this week. "The Whirl of Life" is a tremendous six-part feature based on the amazing careers of these foremost of American dancers. It is filled with wonderful dancing and such dazzling scenes as Cafe de Paris at midnight in the midst of joyous revelries. This picture, the sensation of New York when shown at the Globe theater at $2 a seat, will be seen at the Lyric at 5, 10 and 20 cents. Exhibitions are daily from 2 to 6:30 and 7:30 to 11.

Pauline Frederick.

(At the Grand.)

The last opportunity to see Pauline Frederick in her new success in the Famous Players' sensation, "Lydia Gilmore," will be had at the Grand today. Miss Frederick, in this film of love and adventure, is supported by Vincent Serrano.

One of the big features of the year will be seen at the Grand Thursday, Friday and Saturday when Geraldine Farrar will be seen in "Temptation," her second big photoplay success. "Temptation," in which Pedro de Cordoba, the torreador of "Carmen," plays opposite Miss Farrar, is fresh from the Lasky studios and shows Miss Farrar in one of her few appearances in a modern role with the present-day dramatic theme.

"The Coward."

(At the Vaudette.)

In response to the demand of many patrons, the Vaudette will give a return showing of "The Coward" today only. This is the picture over which audiences went wild four weeks ago, which was exhibited to a hundred veterans from the Soldiers' home and which drew cheers and yells of applause from the old men. "The Coward" has been compared with "The Birth of a Nation;" it is a story of the south in civil war times; battles in which the south is always victorious are shown; the heroism of a southern boy (a coward at first) wins a mighty victory for the "Lost Cause." Charles Ray and Frank Keenan are the stars.

"Damaged Goods."

(At the Georgian.)

In this day and time questions of sex and science—such questions as delicate as those that are dealt with so forcefully, so boldly in the filmization of Eugene Brieux's great play, "Damaged Goods," are not subjects that are confined to subdue whispers and cautious, careful undertones, but are treated as topics of the day. So, it was not at all surprising or in the least way shocking to hear the audiences in the Georgian theater discussing the merits of the picture in audible tones, comparing it with scenes in the play and expressing honest opinions in regard to the standard of morality that should exist.

"Damaged Goods" is a picture of power and will be seen here but four days more.

"Black Fear."

(At the Strand.)

At the Strand today and Thursday the attraction will be "Black Fear," a sensational five-part feature picture produced by Rolfe Photoplays, Inc., for release on the Metro program. An all-star cast will be seen in this production, which will include Grace Elliston, the gifted dramatic star; Grace Valentine, Edward Brennan, John Tansey and other well-known stage and screen artists. The story of "Black Fear" is an exceptionally strong one, filled with tense and thrilling moments from beginning to end. One of the scenes is a spectacular view of Hades, in which more than 100 persons appear. This scene is used in an allegorical prologue, on which the main theme of the feature is based.

SPORTS

EDITED BY DICK JEMISON.

Whitney Lands Casino Rink For Welsh Bout Saturday; Tickets on Sale Today

By Carl Taylor.

After receiving setback after setback in his efforts to secure a place big enough to stage his bout with Freddie Welsh for the lightweight championship of the world, Frank Whitney Tuesday closed for the Casino skating rink, on South Pryor street, and, regardless of anything else, will pull the bout off there Saturday night.

The rink is a large, spacious place, with a seating capacity of from three to five thousand people. The ring will be arranged in the center of the rink, and seats placed on the floor.

Whitney has been after this bout for Atlanta for some time, and there are plenty of sportsmen in the city who wish to see him get the chance which has been his life's ambition. Whitney has received many disappointments in trying to land a place, and for a time it looked like he would have to resort to a circus tent, or use either the Bijou or the Lyric. However, the skating rink people tendered him the use of their auditorium and he accepted. So the place has been secured, and the bout will be positively pulled off according to all announcements.

Welsh to Arrive Thursday.

Freddie Welsh will arrive in Atlanta Thursday. Transportation was wired for him and his manager Tuesday and he leaves New York today.

Welsh, like Whitney, always keeps in condition, and needs but a little workout every day just preceding the bout to put him in the pink of condition. On his arrival here he will probably pitch his training camp at the Atlanta Athletic club and do the remainder of his training there.

Whitney has been training every day since his arrival in Atlanta. Although he has had considerable trouble in landing the place for the bout, and while this has hampered him somewhat, he has not let it seriously interfere with his training activities, and he will be in his best form when Saturday night arrives.

Whitney's Big Chance.

Frank is confident that he'll trim Welsh in the coming bout. Of course, if the fight lasts the entire ten rounds, the decision will be a draw, as no champion will risk his title in a ten-round bout, but, according to Frank, the bout will not last that long. A knockout or a win by a foul will give the championship to Whitney. It is his big chance, and, realizing that it means much to him, Whitney is getting in the best shape possible.

The bout is sure to draw. There are plenty of sportsmen in the city who wish to see the fight, and besides people from all over the state will be in attendance for the mill. It is the first real lightweight championship that Atlanta has ever had. Both of the fighters are men of known ability. Welsh is the champion, while Frank, who up to a short time ago was considered a fair boxer, has now about reached the height of his career, and is a boxer of ability. He is well liked by the scribes of Gotham, who are unstinted in their praise of Atlanta's favorite. Interest in the bout is at white heat, and the auditorium on Saturday night will be packed without the shadow of a doubt.

No other fighter would have gone through what Frank has to stage this bout. He is taking every chance in promoting the bout, and deserves the support of all the sportsmen in the city. He has always been the gamest of Atlanta's fighters, and has now proved himself a real man. His expense in staging this bout will be tremendous, and although he has a packed house he will just about break even on the go.

Tickets on Sale.

Tickets go on sale today for the bout. The ringside pasteboards will go at $3.00. There will also be $2.00 seats and $1.00 general admission. Tickets can be purchased at Chess' place, the Rex and Tumlin Bros.

Now that every detail has been arranged for the bout, the place secured, the ring constructed and the tickets placed on sale, Whitney will give his entire attention to getting into shape, and Atlanta fans can sit back and await Saturday night, when the biggest and best fight that has ever been staged will be pulled off for their benefit.

NO DECISION REACHED ON ADVANCE IN RATES

The Situation, However, Seems to Be Promising for a Suspension.

By John Corrigan, Jr.

Washington, December 28.—(Special.) The interstate commerce commission has not yet reached a decision in regard to suspending the advanced freight rates in the southeast which, in the absence of any action on their part, will become effective next Saturday, January 1.

Commissioner McCord is still absent from the city. Commissioner Harlan, the chairman, and Commissioner Hall have also spent several days away from Washington during the Christmas holidays. While the other members of the commission have been going over the testimony taken before the fourth section of the board, they have reached no conlusion thereon.

The situation would seem promising for a suspension which would afford the commission further opportunity to inquire into the justice of the rate readjustments.

FITZGERALD BOY FATALLY BURNED IN "GAS" EXPLOSION

Fitzgerald, Ga., December 28.—(Special.)—Reeder Manning, the 9-year-old son of P. J. Manning, superintendent of the Bowen Telephone system, was killed today by a gasoline explosion.

The negro chauffeur was cleaning their car at the garage and refilling the tank when a quantity of gasoline was spilled on the ground and on the boy's clothing. As the car was cranked an explosion set fire to the gasoline on the ground and on the boy, burning him so he lived only a few hours.

Given Pardon by Blease, He Cuts Woman's Throat And Then Kills Himself

Columbia, S. C., December 28.—Enraged because she had appeared against him yesterday in recorder's court, where he faced a charge of disorderly conduct, Ed White, a former convict, today attacked Ada Geddings with a knife in front of her home here. He then rushed into her home, lay down on a bed and cut his throat. Both were dead when officers arrived.

White, who was 40 years of age, was convicted here in 1899 and sentenced to life imprisonment for killing a woman. He was pardoned in 1913 by former Governor Blease and recently had been employed at the capitol as night fireman. The Geddings woman was 30 years old.

On Fifty-Ninth Birthday Woodrow Wilson Worked And Took Long Auto Ride

Hot Springs, Va., December 28.—On his fifty-ninth birthday President Wilson worked several hours, read hundreds of telegrams of congratulation, took a long automobile drive over snow-covered mountain roads and in the evening had a quiet birthday dinner with his wife in their suite.

A lengthy letter from Secretary Lansing reached the president today. It is understood to have given a review of international affairs, discussing particularly the situation growing out of Austria's methods of submarine warfare.

Among the messages of congratulations was one signed by all the members of the cabinet. Many of the others coupled with felicitations, expressions of thanks to the president for keeping the country at peace and hope for his re-election.

The feature of the birthday dinner was a cake designed by Mrs. Wilson herself. It was an almond sponge cake, decorated with candy roses and tulips and bearing in white icing the inscription:

"Many happy returns. W. W."

4 COUNTIES PLAN TO FURTHER WORK ON AUTO HIGHWAY

Stockbridge, Ga., December 28.—(Special.)—The gathering here today of officials and citizens from the counties of Henry, Butts, Clayton and DeKalb for the purpose of pushing forward the automobile highway from Atlanta to Macon was largely attended.

About seventy-five enthusiastic citizens adopted plans to have the proposed lines surveyed and estimates submitted at a meeting to be called in Clayton county as soon as the engineers' work is completed.

The county commissioner of Henry county, Hon. John Bryans, stated at the meeting that he would put his whole road force on the line north of McDonough at a very early day.

Charles J. Haden, president of the Georgia Chamber of Commerce, stated that the field engineer of the state university, who has already made a preliminary examination, would renew his work on the line in a few days.

$68,000 Given by Watts To Dixie Presbyterians For Ministerial Relief

Louisville, Ky., December 28.—Conditioned upon the church raising twice the amount during the next year, George Watts, of Durham, N. C., a wealthy member, has offered to give $68,000 to the Southern Presbyterian church endowment fund for ministerial relief.

Dr. Henry H. Sweets, Louisville, secretary of the board which has charge of the fund, made this announcement here today. With the exception of $100,000, contributed about six years ago by the late H. T. Inman, of Atlanta, the announcement says, this is the largest gift ever made for superannuated preachers of any denomination in the south.

Dr. Sweets said plans already made insured that the terms of Mr. Watts' gift would be met and that additional money would swell the Southern Presbyterian fund for ministerial relief to $536,000.

LEWIS BESTS RITCHIE IN TEN-ROUND BOUT

New York, December 28.—Ted (Kid) Lewis, of England, outfought Willie Ritchie, of San Francisco, in every round except one of their ten-round bout at Madison Square Garden tonight.

Ritchie was the aggressor at the outset of every round, but failed to follow up his advantage with force or cleverness sufficiently to mark him as the master of the Englishman. Only in the third round did Ritchie have anything like an even break.

Ritchie was willing all of the way, showing pluck, and at the end of the bout he appeared to have lost little of his speed. Ritchie's best blow was a left jab to the face, but Lewis used left and right hooks at will and his fast footwork made it difficult for the Californian to land an effective blow.

Lewis' most effective attack was a short left arm jolt to the head, which Ritchie seemed unable to avoid, and suffered as a consequence.

Lewis weighed in at 139¾ and Ritchie at 143¾.

KENNEDY AND NEGRO TAKEN TO AMERICUS

Americus, Ga., December 28.—(Special.)—Minter Kennedy and the negro, Ike Carter, jailed at Leesburg with G. W. Chance and son, Claude Chance, under indictment for the murder of Banker A. D. Oliver, were brought to Americus this afternoon and lodged in the Sumter county jail. The transfer here of Kennedy and Carter was upon an order of Judge Z. A. Littlejohn with a view of keeping the prisoners separated. It is generally understood that the special session of Lee superior court for the trial of the Chances, Kennedy and Carter will probably be convened in February.

NABS NEGRO BURGLAR HE FOUND IN CLOSET

Americus, Ga., December 28.—(Special.)—When Manager Paul Westbrook, of the Americus Bell Telephone exchange, entered his home late last night he grappled with a burly negro burglar, concealed in a clothes closet. The burglar was held at the point of a revolver until the police arrived. Mr. Westbrook escaped any injury.

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OSTEOS HUMBLED BY BEAN'S FIVE

Local Club Wins Hot Game From Kirksville Quintet. The Final Count Was 75 to 20.

By Carl Taylor.

Local followers of the great indoor sport, basketball, who did not attend the game last night between the local Atlanta Athletic club five and the Kirksville, Mo., Osteopaths, missed a considerable treat, for the game was a nifty battle throughout, and kept the interest of the few spectators at white heat at all times. At the conclusion of hostilities, the count was 75 to 20, with the local club on the long end.

Although the club made 55 more points than their adversaries, they were continually pushed throughout by the Missouri five, and but for the fact that Coach Joe Bean's five is more formidable than anything in the south, the score would have been much different.

The Osteopaths were handicapped by weight considerably. Their team plays a good offensive game, using the new dribbling with two hands well, while they pass and handle the ball admirably. However, they were extremely weak on the defensive, and, mainly due to the size of the two teams, were unable to guard successfully. They are also poor shots, and nearly all of the eight field goals they rang up were of the sensational variety. Several times during the evening one of their players would dribble the ball the entire length of the court only to miss a goal. On one occasion, Engler dribbled the entire length and shot the most sensational goal of the evening.

Club's Playing Improved.

The club played much better ball than they did in the opening game of the season. Their passing is much swifter and accurate, while their teamwork and ability to locate the baskets when necessary was considerably better.

With Lester and Westmoreland at forwards in the first half, the club rang up a count 36 to 9, while, with Forbes and Graves in these places in the final spasm, they made a count of 39 to 11. Lester made the most baskets from the field during the evening, getting a total of nine, while Tillou Forbes made the greatest number of points—21. Five foul goals were rung up by Forbes in six chances. He missed the first and after that located the hoops every time. Dubard had quite a time at center, as Forester, his opponent, was a worthy one, and kept the peerless one on the go all the time. Dubard was the only man on the team well guarded, and the result was that he was able to shoot but four field goals during the setto. Pie Weaver and Frank Carter played their usual good game for the team.

For the visitors, the playing of Forester starred, while the work of Manhart, Van Duzer and Engler was good.

Miss Doonan Wins Candy.

The five-pound box of candy, offered the woman guessing the combined score, was won by Miss Doonan, who guessed 95 exactly. Second prize was won by Miss Margaret Gauze, who guessed 96. This will be a regular event of the club.

The club's next contest will be on January 17 in Columbus, Ga. The game with Spartanburg for Friday night has been cancelled.

The line-up and summary:

ATLANTA (75).	Pos.	OSTEOS (20).
Lester (18)	Right Forward	Van Duzer (4)
Forbes (21).		
Westmoreland (8)	Left Forward	Johnson (2)
Graves (12).		
Dubard (8)	Center	Forester (6)
Weaver (4)	Right Guard	Manhart (6)
F. Carter (4)	Left Guard	Engler (2)

Summary—Field goals, Atlanta 35, Osteopaths 8. Fouls, Atlanta 9, Osteopaths 6. Goals from fouls, Forbes 5, Manhart 4. Time of halves, 20 minutes. Referee, Jim Harrison. Timekeeper, Coke Davis.

$500 A SHARE PAID FOR ST. LOUIS BROWNS

St. Louis, December 28.—The owners of the St. Louis Federals paid $425,000 for the St. Louis Americans, it was learned today. This included $25,000 commission to certain stockholders in the St. Louis Americans. Robert L. Hedges, and all other owners, received $500 a share for their stock.

YESTERDAY'S TRENDS IN FINANCE AND MARKETS

Articles—	Close.	Adv. (Changes Since Previous Close)	Dec.
COTTON—Spot del'y, per lb. in Atlanta..	12.25c	.....	.....
COTTON—March del'y, per lb. in New York.	12.41c	.07	.....
COTTON—March dely, per lb. in New Or..	12.27c	.07	.....
COTTON—Feb.-March del'y, per lb. in Liverpool	7.57d	.18½	.....
WHEAT—May, del'y, per bu. in Chicago..	$1.24⅝	.....	.02¼
CORN—May del'y, per bu. in Chicago......	75⅝c	.....	.01⅜
OATS—May del'y, per bu. in Chicago......	47c	.....	.00⅞
PORK—May del'y, per bbl. in Chicago......	$18.75	.....	.10
LARD—May del'y, per trc. in Chicago......	$9.97	.....	.13
RIBS—May del'y, per lb. in Chicago......	10.27c	.....	.03
C. S. OIL—March del'y, per lb. in New York	8.47c	.....	.....
SUGAR—March del'y, per lb. in New York	3.37c	.03	.....
COFFEE—March del'y, per lb. in New York..	6.70c	.07	.....
CALL MONEY in New York, avg..........	1.81*	.04	.....
COLLATERAL LOANS in New York, av....	2.85*	.35	.....
COMMERCIAL PAPER in New York, avg....	3.13*	.....	.....
DEMAND LONDON EX. in New York	$4.7375	.0038	.....
5 TYPICAL LISTED Industrial stocks, New York	$119.52	.....	1.00
5 TYPICAL LISTED R. R. stocks in New York	$78.32	.....	.60
5 TYPICAL LISTED R. R. and Ind. Bonds in New York	$102.15	.....	.05

*Per cent.

Industrial stocks used are: Amer. Sugar, Gen. Electric, Studebaker, U. S. Rubber and U. S. Steel.

Railroad stocks used are: Balt. & Ohio, Ill. Central, N. Y. Central, Penn. and Southern Railway.

Railroad and Industrial bonds used are: Amer. Tel. & Tel., Central of Georgia, Consol, Central Leather, U. S. Steel and Virginia-Carolina Chemical.

ATLANTA QUOTATIONS

FLOUR, GRAIN, HAY AND FEED.

(Corrected by W. S. Duncan Co.)

Flour, Sacked, Per Bbl.—Victory, in 48-lb. towel bags, $7.40; Victory, our finest patent, $7.25; Quality, in 48-lb. towel bags, $7.40; Quality, our finest patent, $7.25; Nell Rose, self-rising, $7.00; Gloria, self-rising, $7.00; White Lily, self-rising, $7.00; White Lily, self-rising, 12-lb. bags, $7.15; Royal, self-rising, $7.00; Puritan, highest patent, $7.00; Puritan, highest patent, 12-lb. bags, $7.15; Paragon, highest patent, $7.00; Home Queen, highest patent, $7.00; Swans Down, highest patent, $6.85; Pride of Denver, highest patent, $6.85; White Cloud, high patent, $6.60; White Daisy, high patent, $6.60; Ocean Spray, good patent, $6.25; Southern Star, good patent, $6.25; Sun Rise, good patent, $6.25; Sun Beam, good patent, $6.25; Tulip flour, low grade, $5.40.

Meal, Sacked, Per Bu.—Meal, plain, 144-lb. sacks, 84c; meal, plain, 96-lb. sacks, 85c; meal, plain, 48-lb. sacks, 87c; meal, plain, 24-lb. sacks, 89c.

Grain, Sacked, Per Bu.—Corn, choice red cob, 87c; corn, No. 2 white, 85c; oats, fancy white clipped, 58c; oats, No. 2 white clipped, 57; oats, No. 2 white, 56; oats, No. 3 white, 55c; oats, mixed, 5¼-bu. bags, 53c.

Seeds, Sacked, Per Bu.—Blue stem seed wheat, $1.70; Appler seed oats, 80c; winter grazing oats, 65c; Texas red rust-proof oats, 65c.

Hay, Etc.—Timothy, No. 1, small bales, $1.20; timothy, No. 2, small bales, $1.15; Bermuda hay, 85c; Johnson grass hay, 80c; cotton seed meal, Harper's Prime, $33.00; cotton seed meal, Milco feed, $33.00; cotton seed meal, Cremo feed, $31.00; cotton seed hulls, sacked, $19.00.

Chicken Feed, Per Cwt.—Purina pigeon feed, 100-lb. sacks, $2.65; Aunt Patsy mash, 100-lb. sacks, $2.40; Purina chowder, 100-lb. sacks, $2.40; Purina scratch, 12-pkg. bales, $2.35; Purina scratch, 100-lb. sacks, $2.25; Victory chick, 100-lb. sacks, $2.15; Victory scratch, 100-lb. sacks, $2.05; Daisy scratch, 100-lb. sacks, $1.85; beef scraps, per 100-lb. sacks, $3.35; beef scraps, per 50-lb. sacks, $1.85; oyster shell, per 100-lb. sacks, 85c; chicken wheat, per bushel, $1.45.

Ground Feed, Per Cwt.—Arab horse feed, $1.85; Re-Peter horse feed, $1.75; King Corn horse feed, $1.75; Rabbit horse feed, $1.65; A. B. C. feed, $1.55; June pasture dairy feed, $1.60; Alfal-Fat dairy feed, $1.50; Sucrene dairy feed, $1.60; choice alfalfa meal, 100-lb. sacks, $1.55; No. 1 alfalfa meal, 100-lb. sacks, $1.45; dried beet pulp, 100-lb. sacks, $1.70.

Shorts, Bran and Mill Feed—Shorts, Red Dog, 100-lb. sacks, $2.00; Dandy Middlings, 100-lb. sacks, $1.95; Wehman white shorts, 100-lb. sacks, $1.90; fancy mill feed, 75-lb. sacks, $1.85 P. W. mill feed, 75-lb. sacks, $1.70; Georgia feed, 75-lb. sacks, $1.70; gray shorts, 100-lb. sacks, $1.65; brown shorts, 100-lb. sacks, $1.65; germ meal, 100-lb. sacks, $1.65; germ meal, 75-lb. sacks, $1.65; bran, pure wheat, 100-lb. sacks, $1.40; bran, pure wheat, 75-lb. sacks, $1.40.

Salt—Salt brick, medicated, per case, $5.25; salt brick, plain, per case, $2.40; salt ozone, 25 pkgs., per case, 90c; salt, Red Rock, per cwt., $1.10; salt, Chippewa, 100-lb. sacks, 57c; salt, Chippewa, 50-lb. sacks, 34c; salt, Chippewa, 25-lb. sacks, 20c; salt, V. P., 100-lb. sacks, 56c; salt, V. P., 50-lb. sacks, 34c; salt, V. P., 25c-lb. sacks, 20c.

ATLANTA PROVISION MARKET.

(Corrected by the White Provision Company.)

Cornfield hams, 10 to 12 average......	.18½
Cornfield hams, 12 to 14 average......	.18
Cornfield skinned hams, 16 to 18 avg.	.17¾
Cornfield picnic hams, 6 to 8 average.	.13¾
Cornfield breakfast bacon	.26
Cornfield sliced bacon, 1-lb. cartons, 12 to case	$3.60
Grocers' bacon, wide or narrow.........	.21
Cornfield fresh pork sausage, link or bulk, 25-lb. buckets	.13
Cornfield wieners, 10-lb. cartons........	.13
Cornfield bologna sausage, 25-lb. boxes	.13
Cornfield luncheon ham, 25-lb. boxes..	.14
Cornfield smoked link sausage, 25-lb. boxes	.10
Cornfield wieners, in pickle, No. 15 kits	$1.65
Cornfield lard, tierce basis	.14¼
Country style lard, 50-lb. tins	.11¾
Compound lard, tierce basis	.10½
D. S. extra ribs	.13⅝
D. S. bellies, medium average........	.13
D. S. bellies, light average	.13½

ATLANTA LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(Corrected by W. H. White, Jr., of the White Provision Company.)

Good to choice steers, 800 to 900 pounds, $5.75 to $6.25.

Good steers, 700 to 800 pounds, $5.00 to $5.75.

Medium to good steers, 700 to 800 pounds, $4.50 to $5.00.

Good to choice beef cows, 750 to 850, $4.00 to $5.00.

Medium to good cows, 650 to 750 pounds, $4.00 to $4.50.

Good to choice heifers, 600 to 700 pounds, $4.00 to $4.50.

The above represents the ruling price of good quality cattle. Inferior grades and dairy types selling lower.

Medium to good steers, 750 to 850 pounds, $4.25 to $5.00.

Medium to good cows, 650 to 750 pounds, $3.50 to $4.50.

Mixed common, $3.75 to $3.25.

Good fat oxen, $4.25 to $4.50.

Medium oxen, $3.25 to $4.00.

Good butcher bulls, $3.00 to $4.25.

Prime hogs, 160 to 200 pounds, $6.25 to $6.50.

Good butcher hogs, 140 to 160 pounds, $6.15 to $6.25.

Good butcher pigs, 130 to 140 pounds, $6.00 to $6.15.

Light pigs, 80 to 100 pounds, $5.75 to $6.00.

Above quotations apply to corn-fed hogs. Mast and peanut fattened, 1 to 1½c under.

Cattle receipts, light. Market unchanged. Bulk of receipts mostly common. Best grades coming principally from Tennessee shippers.

Liberal run of hogs. Market quiet.

PROVISION MARKET.

(Corrected by White Provision Company.)

Cornfield hams, 10 to 12 avg..........	.18½
Cornfield hams, 12 to 14 avg..........	.18½
Cornfield skinned hams, 16 to 18 avg..	.18
Cornfield picnic hams, 6 to 8 avg.....	.14
Cornfield breakfast bacon	.28
Cornfield sliced bacon, 1-lb. cartons, 12 to case	3.60
Grocers' bacon, wide or narrow	.21
Cornfield fresh pork sausage, link or bulk, 25-lb. buckets	.13
Cornfield wieners, 10-lb. cartons	.13
Cornfield bologna sausage, 25-lb. boxes	.12
Cornfield luncheon hams, 25-lb. boxes..	.14
Cornfield smoked link sausage, 25-lb. boxes	.10
Cornfield wieners in pickle, No. 15 kits	1.65
Cornfield lard, tierce basis	.11
Country style lard, 50-lb. tins	.11
Compound lard, tierce basis	.10
D. S. extra ribs	.13
D. S. bellies, medium average	.13
D. S. bellies, light	.13½

GROCERIES.

(Corrected by Oglesby Grocery Company.)

Candy—Sticks, 7; mixed, 7½; chocolate, 12½.

Beans—Lima, 6½; pink, 5½; navy, 7¼.

Jelly—30-lb. pails, $1.35; 2-oz. $2.70.

Spaghetti—$1.90.

Leather—Diamond oak, 48c.

Pepper—Grain, 20c; ground, 20c.

Flour—Elegant, $7.75; Diamond, $6.90, Best Self-rising, $6.75; Monogram, $6.35; Carnation, $6.15; Golden Grain, $5.70; Pancake, per case, $3.00.

Canned Goods—Pork and Beans, 1s, 2s and 3s, $1.90 to $4.20. Corn, $1.75 to $2.40. Peas, $1.90 to $4.20. String beans, 1s, 2s and 3s, $1.80 to $4.50. Salmon red, Libby's, $6.75; Chums, $3.40; pink, $3.75. Veal Loaf, one-half, $2.80. Asparagus tips, $4.50 to $5.00. Tuna fish, 1s, $6.50; ½s, $5.00. Condensed milk, $2.85 to $6.60; Evaporated milk, $2.40 to $3.60. Oysters, Alligator, $1.60. Pearls, $1.60.

Salt—100-lb. bags, 56; ice cream, 50c; Granocrystal, 85c; No. 3 barrels, $3.25.

Arm and Hammer Soda, $3.05; keg soda, 2c; Royal Baking Powder, 1-pound, $4.80; ½-pound, $5.00; Horsford's, $4.50; Good Luck, $1.80; Success, $1.80; Rough Rider, $1.80.

Lard and Compound—Cottolene, $7.75; Snow Drift, cases, $6.50; Scoco, 10; Flake White, 10.

Sour Gherkins—Per crate, $1.80; kegs, $5.50@8.00; sweet mixed, kegs, $11.50. Olives, 90c to $4.50 per dozen.

Sugar—Granulated, 6¼; powdered, 6½; cubes, 7; Domino, 9½.

Sugar.

New York, December 28.—The market for raw sugar remained unchanged today. No business was reported, although the undertone seemed to be steadier, as holders were less inclined to offer so freely. Yesterday's rumored sales of Porto Rico were confirmed today as being 50,000 bags for first half January clearance at 4.45 to a local refiner. Closing prices follow: Centrifugal, 4.45@4.64; molasses, 3.68@3.87; Cuba cost and freight, 3⅝. Refined sugar was quiet and unchanged at 5.95 for fine granulated, although the Federal was said to be accepting 5.85 for small remaining stocks at certain points.

Futures were also steadier on support credited to Cuban interests and on moderate covering by local commission houses, the close being unchanged to 6 points net higher.

Range in New York futures Tuesday:

	Open.	Close.
January	3.50@3.55	3.59@3.60
February	3.27@3.29	3.30@3.32
March	3.23@3.25	3.27@3.29
April	.....	3.33@3.35
May	3.35@3.36	3.38@3.40
June	3.40 bid	3.42@3.44
July	3.44@3.46	3.46@3.48
August	3.48 bid	3.50@3.52
September	3.52 bid	3.54@3.55
October	3.56 bid	3.58@3.60
November	.....	3.60@3.62
December	.....	3.78@3.80

Provisions.

Chicago, December 28.—Cash:

Pork, $16.25.

Lard, $9.62.

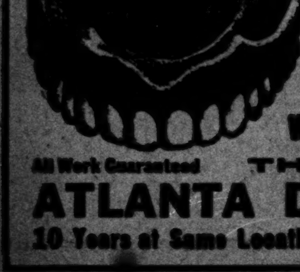
Ribs, $9.50@9.92.

Dry Goods.

New York, December 28.—Cotton goods markets were strong today and yarns advanced. Burlaps advanced again in consequence of the sinking of another burlap-laden ship in the Mediterranean.

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Spot and Near Month Cotton Deliveries Show Strength

Profit Realizing Weighs Values Down Somewhat. However, Net Rise in New York Was 1 to 7 Points.

RANGE IN NEW YORK COTTON.

	Open	High	Low	Last Sale	Close.	Prev. Close.
Jan. ..	12.16	12.19	12.14	12.16	12.16	12.15
Mar. ..	12.37	12.44	12.37	12.41	12.41	12.34
May ..	12.64	12.68	12.63	12.65	12.64	12.59
July ..	12.80	12.82	12.78	12.79	12.78	12.75
Oct. ..	12.48	12.51	12.47	12.48	12.47	12.46

RANGE IN NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

	Open	High	Low	Last Sale	Close.	Prev. Close.
Jan. ..	11.92	11.96	11.90	11.94	11.94	11.88
Mar. ..	12.26	12.30	12.23	12.28	12.27	12.20
May ..	12.56	12.59	12.53	12.57	12.56	12.50
July ..	12.74	12.78	12.71	12.72	12.73	12.68
Oct. ..	12.35	12.40	12.39	12.39	12.38	12.33

New York, December 28.—The feature in the cotton market today was the firmness of the near positions, particularly March, which sold up to 12.44, or 10 points above last night's close, and closed at 12.41. The general list closed steady at a net advance of 1 to 7 points.

Liverpool did not fully meet the advances which had occurred in domestic markets since last Thursday, but prices here opened at a gain of from 3 to 6 points. Additional January notices, amounting to about 4,500 bales, were reported to be in circulation, but spot houses were again buyers of January against sales of later deliveries, and the firmness in the winter month position seemed to render the March short interest more or less uneasy. Prices soon improved with the more active positions selling about 5 to 10 points above last night's closing figures. Around 12.19 for January, 12.68 for May and 12.82 for July there was enough realizing to check the advance, but support was encountered on comparatively slight reactions and the undertone was generally steady, with the close only 3 or 4 points off from the best.

Manchester cables, representing a fair demand for both yarns and cloths, and the continued bullish character of reports from the domestic goods trade encouraged the advance, while at times there were indications of rather a better outside interest. The volume of general business, however, remained small and the improvement in prices seemed chiefly the result of covering or trade buying of March and May. Southern advices reiterated the reports of steadiness among interior holders.

The arrivals of cotton reported at New York today included 6,825 bales of linters, said to be the largest arrival of linters here for any one day on record.

Spot cotton quiet; middling upland 12.35; no sales.

New Orleans Rises 5 to 7 Points.

New Orleans, December 28.—Cotton had a firm undertone and stood at a small advance throughout the session of the local market today, closing steady, 5 to 7 points up. Buying of covers by shorts and moderate fresh buying by outside traders who were impressed by the reception given the first January tenders was the main support. No pressure to sell developed at any time. It was estimated that an additional 5,000 bales were tendered against January contracts today, but they were as quickly taken up as were yesterday's notices.

In the early trading prices rose 5 to 8 points, the market being helped by favorable cables. Reports of firm spot markets in the interior increased the disposition to buy and toward noon the market stood 9 to 10 points up. This was the high of the day. In the afternoon the market became dull with a holiday feeling and prices sagged off somewhat, but without showing weakness.

Considerable bearish comment was aroused by the very small export movement, total foreign shipments from all ports for the day amounting to only 7,469 bales, but without causing selling of consequence.

Spot cotton steady, unchanged. Sales on the spot 356 bales; to arrive 405.

Good ordinary 9.90; strict good ordinary 10.55; low middling 11.06; strict low middling 11.38; middling 11.75; strict middling 12; good middling 12.32; strict good middling 12.56. Receipts 12,208; stock 416,360.

COTTON MOVEMENT.

ATLANTA 4'S—STEADY, 12.25.

Port Movement.

New Orleans—Middling, 11.75; receipts, 12,208; sales, 760; stock, 416,360.
Galveston—Middling, 12.25; receipts, 16,454; sales, 450; stock, 384,517.
Mobile—Middling, 11.69; receipts, 896; sales, 50; stock, 31,163.
Savannah—Middling, 12.00; receipts, 5,597; sales, 768; stock, 214,369.
Charleston—Middling, 12.00; receipts, 1,327; stock, 104,635.
Wilmington—Receipts, 90; stock, 40,971.
Texas City—Receipts, 7,054.
Norfolk—Middling, 11.75; receipts, 1,596; sales, 943; stock, 131,545.
Baltimore—Exports, 7,189; stock, 1,870.
Boston—Middling, 12.35; receipts, 457; exports, 250; stock, 10,700.
Philadelphia—Middling, 12.60; stock, 3,588.
New York—Middling, 12.35; receipts, 477; stock, 325,692.
Minor ports—Stock, 63,090.
Total today—Receipts, 46,156; exports, 7,469; stock, 1,728,500.
Total for week—Receipts, 90,473; exports, 33,110.
Total for season—Receipts, 4,043,203; exports, 2,257,457.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 12.25; receipts, 4,147; shipments, 3,682; sales, 1,714; stock, 240,228.
Memphis—Middling, 12.12; receipts, 5,253; shipments, 2,942; sales, 2,750; stock, 351,338.
Augusta—Middling, 11.63; receipts, 1,586; shipments, 200; sales, 567; stock, 213,905.
St. Louis—Middling, 12¼; receipts, 933; shipments, 629; stock, 15,769.
Cincinnati—Receipts, 1,210; shipments, 597; stock, 15,528.
Little Rock—Middling, 12.13; receipts, 1,419; shipments, 163; sales, 163; stock, 45,404.
Dallas—Middling, 11.75.
Montgomery—Middling, 11.63.
Total today—Receipts, 14,548; shipments, 8,163; stock, 882,172.

Comparative Port Receipts.

The following table shows receipts at the ports Tuesday, compared with the same day last year:

	1915.	1914.
New Orleans	12,208	18,538
Galveston	16,453	45,208
Mobile	896	763
Savannah	5,597	29,406
Charleston	1,327	2,007
Wilmington	90	1,084
Norfolk	1,596	2,860
New York	477	......
Boston	457	36
Philadelphia	......	61
Port Arthur	......	80
Various	7,054	8,104
Total	46,156	108,114

Interior Movement.

	1915.	1914.
Houston	4,147	23,862
Augusta	1,586	4,908
Memphis	5,283	3,504
St. Louis	933	1,179
Cincinnati	1,210	3,437
Little Rock	.....	1,729
Total	13,159	38,450

Liverpool Cotton.

Liverpool, December 28.—Cotton, spot steady; good middling, 8.11; middling, 7.78; low middling, 7.34. Sales, 8,000, 1,500 for speculation and export. Receipts, 32,000. Futures very steady.

Range in Liverpool futures Tuesday:

	Opening Range.		Close.	Prev. Close.
Jan.-Feb.	7.52	@7.54	7.58½	7.41
Feb.-March	7.51		7.57	7.38½
March-April	7.47	@7.49½	7.54½	7.36
April-May	7.42½	@7.44	7.49	7.31
May-June	7.39	@7.40	7.44½	7.26½
June-July				7.40
July-Aug.	7.30	@7.32	7.36	7.19
Aug.-Sept.	7.14		7.19½	7.04
Sept.-Oct.	6.89½		7.02½	6.87½
Oct.-Nov.	6.91½	@6.94½	6.97½	6.82½
December			7.60½	7.44
Dec.-Jan.			7.59	7.42½

Metals.

New York, December 28.—The metal exchange quotes lead offered at $5.40. Spelter not quoted.

At London: Lead, £29 10s. Spelter, £90.

Copper firm; electrolytic, $22.00@23.00. Iron, steady and unchanged.

Metal exchange quotes tin quiet, $39.00 bid.

At London: Spot copper, £85 15s; futures, £85 15s.

ALL SECURITIES SAGGED TUESDAY

Reported Crisis in British Cabinet Proved an Effective Bullish Argument—All Groups Declined in Consequence.

New York, December 28.—Foreign affairs, particularly the reported crisis in the British cabinet, were held to be mainly accountable for the pronounced change in speculative sentiment today. Instead of the breadth and higher prices that characterized yesterday's extensive operations, there was a succession of selling movements, with intervals of feeble rallies. Many recent gains were dissipated. United States Steel, again the leader, recording an extreme loss of 1⅜ at 87⅝, from which it made only slight recovery.

Anaconda Copper, whose directors fulfilled popular expectations by increasing the quarterly dividend from $1 to $1.50, was under steady pressure and other issues of that group, notably American Smelting, denoted substantial selling, regardless of another rise in copper metal to 22½ for future delivery.

Oil stocks were very active and strong for a time, Mexican Petroleum rising 2½ to the new price of 110½, but elsewhere among the various high-priced specialties and utilities the market seemed to lack stability or actual support.

Rails, especially St. Paul and New Haven, were steady to strong in the forenoon, but lost ground in common with the entire list toward the close of the session. Texas and Pacific was weak, falling 7 points to 8½ on the threatened receivership.

More than a proportionate amount of the day's moderate trading occurred in the morning, the movement being a drifting one in the afternoon. The tone at the close was heavy, all the activity of the last half hour being at the expense of quoted values.

Anglo-French 5s were again a restraining influence, although dealings were relatively light. All quotations for this issue were between 94⅛ and 94, the new minimum, with a majority of sales at the lower figure.

International shares were again sold by London and the rise in demand Sterling to $4.73⅜, the highest rate for the current movement, probably bore some relation to that fact. Francs were steady, but Russian exchange was weak, with rubles at 31, a fraction above the low record.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, were $5,870,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Stocks in New York.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Allis-Chalmers	32½	31½	32	32½
Am. Beet Sugar	70	68⅞	69	69½
Am. Can	61¼	59⅝	57⅝	60⅞
Am. Car & Foundry	79	77¼	77¼	79
Am. Cotton Oil	55½	54¼	54¼	55
Am. Locomotive	70	69	69	70¾
Am. Smelting	106	103½	104	105⅝
Am. Sugar	115⅝	115⅝	115⅝	115¾
Am. Tel. & Tel.	129¼	129	129	129
Am. Tobacco	207⅞	205	205	207½
Anaconda Copper	91½	89	89¼	90⅝
Atchison	108	107	107	107⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	113⅞	113⅞	113⅞	114
Baldwin Locomotive	121	117⅞	117⅞	120¼
Baltimore & Ohio	95½	94½	94½	95
Bethlehem Steel	....	....	486	470
Brooklyn Rapid T.	....	....	87½	88
Canadian Pacific	181	179½	179½	181⅛
Central Leather	54½	53⅝	53⅝	54
Chesapeake & Ohio	63½	62½	62½	63
Chi., Mil. & St. P.	96¼	95¼	95⅝	95¼
Chi., R. I. & P. Ry.	17	16½	16½	17
Consolidated Gas	145⅝	143⅝	144	145⅛
Continental Can	85	84	85	85
Crucible Steel	74⅝	73½	73½	74¼
Erie	43	42	42	42⅞
General Electric	174½	173½	173½	175
Great Northern pfd	127	125½	125½	126⅞
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	51½	50	50	51
Illinois Central	108	107⅞	107	108
Interbor. Con. Corp.	21⅝	21¼	21¼	21⅝
Kan. City Southern	32½	31⅝	31⅝	31⅞
Lehigh Valley	82⅛	81	81¼	81⅞
Louisville & Nashv.	....	....	128½	129
Liggett & Meyers	....	....	245	249
Lorillard Co.	....	....	180	180
Mo., Kan. & Tex. pfd	16½	16½	16½	16⅝
Missouri Pacific	3⅞	3⅝	3⅝	4
Mex. Petroleum	110½	106⅝	107	108
National Lead	65⅝	65	65	65½
New York Central	110½	109	109	110⅛
N. Y., N. H. & H.	77⅞	76	76¼	76⅞
Norfolk & Western	122⅝	121½	122	122½
Northern Pacific	118	117	117	117⅝
Pennsylvania	59⅞	59	59	59¼
Reading	83¼	81⅝	81⅝	82⅝
Rep. Iron & Steel	56¼	54⅝	54	56
Seaboard Air Line	18½	17⅝	17⅝	18½
do. pfd	39½	39⅛	39⅝	37⅞
Sloss-Shef. S. & I.	64¼	63⅝	63⅝	64⅝
Studebaker Corp.	168¼	166½	166½	167⅞
Southern Pacific	103⅛	102¼	102½	103⅝
Southern Railway	23⅝	23½	23½	23⅝
do. pfd	63	62	62	63⅝
Tennessee Copper	62½	60	60¼	60
Texas Co.	232	229	229	232
Texas & Pacific	10	8½	9	15½
Union Pacific	139¼	138¼	138¼	139½
U. S. Rubber	55⅝	54½	54⅞	55
U. S. Steel	89⅝	87⅝	87⅝	89
do. pfd	116⅝	116⅝	116⅝	116⅝
Utah Copper	81⅝	80½	80½	81¼
Va.-Caro. Chemical	49⅜	48⅝	48½	49½
Va. Iron, C. & C.	66	63½	63¼	67
Wabash pfd "B" Ctfs.	29⅞	29	29¼	29⅝
Western Union	88½	88⅛	88½	88⅛
Westinghouse Elec.	71	68⅞	69⅛	69⅝
United Fruit	149¼	148	148	149½

Total sold Tuesday, 628,600 shares.

Bonds in New York.

U. S. 2s registered	98¾
do. coupon	99
U. S. 3s registered	101¼
do. coupon	101¼
U. S. 4s registered	109½
do. coupon	110
Panama 3s coupon	101½
American Agricultural 5s	101⅞
American Cotton Oil 5s	96⅝
American Tel. & Tel cv. 4½s	106⅞
American Tobacco 6s, bid	118
Anglo-French 5s	94⅛
Atchison gen. 4s	93⅝
Atlantic Coast Line Consol. 4s	93½
Baltimore & Ohio cv. 4½s	97
Central of Georgia Consol. 5s	100½
Central Leather 5s	100⅞
Chesapeake & Ohio cv. 4½s	86
Chicago, B. & Quincy joint 4s	98
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul cv. 5s	106¾
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry. ref. 4s	65½
Erie gen. 4s	74⅛
Illinois Central ref. 4s	90½
Liggett & Myers 5s	101
Lorillard 5s	100⅞
Louisville & Nashville un. 4s	94½
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st, 4s	77⅛
New York Central deb. 6s	112⅝
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	115
Norfolk & Western cv. 4½s	121⅜
Northern Pacific 4s	93¼
Pennsylvania Consol. 4½s	105⅝
do. gen. 4½s	100⅝
Reading gen. 4s	95
Republic Iron & Steel 5s (1940)	96⅝
St. Louis & San Fran. ref. 4s, bid	72
Seaboard Air Line adj. 5s	68
Southern Bell Telephone 5s, bid	99⅝
Southern Pacific cv. 5s	106½
Southern Railway 5s, bid	102
do. gen. 4s	70⅛
Tennessee Copper cv. 6s	122
Texas Company cv. 6s	105¼
Texas & Pacific 1st	96
Union Pacific 4s	97⅝
U. S. Steel 5s	104
Virginia-Carolina Chemical 5s	98½
Wabash Ref. 4s ctfs.	102½

New York Financial.

New York, December 28.—Mercantile paper, 3@3½.

Sterling, 60-day bills, $4.69; demand, $4.73¼; cables, $4.74¼.

Francs, demand, 5.84; cables, 5.85.

Marks, demand, 76 9-16; cables, 76⅝.

Guilders, demand, 43⅝; cables, 43⅝.

Lires, demand, 6.58; cables, 6.57.

Rubles, demand, 31; cables, 31¼.

Bar silver, 54⅛.

Mexican dollars, 41¼.

Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

Time loans firm; 60 days, 2½@3; 90 days, 2⅝@3; six months, 3.

Call money steady; high, 3; low, 1⅝; ruling rate, 2; last loan, 2; closing bid, 1⅝; offered at 2.

Rice.

New Orleans, December 28.—The tone in rice continued quiet today.

Receipts: Rough, 7,792; millers, 7,792; clean, 11,282.

Sales, 900 pockets clean Japan at 4⅛. Quotations unchanged.

PROFESSIONAL VIEWS ON COTTON SITUATION

New York, December 28.—(Special.)—The market today displayed a steady tone and prices ruled higher, owing to persistent buying on the part of local interests. The small amount of spot cotton delivered against January contracts is the reason for the present buying movement, which, however, is principally confined to the short interest. Southern advices indicate that interior holders are willing to sell at 12 cents, and this, together with the unfavorable export situation, deters active buying for long account.

JAY, BOND & CO.

New York, December 28.—(Special.)—One of the underlying factors which, in our opinion, will be responsible for an active and higher cotton market is the buying to come from legitimate sources not alone to fill present requirements, but to replenish reserves.

The increased consumption as result of the war is in effect not alone here, but in other countries, particularly Japan. According to the department of commerce, they have consumed up to November 30, 152,144 bales, vs. 130,972 in 1914, on a spindle capacity of 2,787,846 in 1915 and 2,630,382 in 1914, or an increase of only 8 per cent in spindles. The increased consumption of cotton per spindle is a factor which will be instrumental in making the margin between supply and demand smaller than many anticipate. The distribution of dry goods at both wholesale and retail centers continues larger than for many years.

SHERRSON, HAMMILL & CO.

New Orleans, December 28.—(Special.)—Upon reopening after the holidays, Liverpool more than fully met the improvement which had occurred in the American markets and the latter have again been very steady at somewhat higher levels, the demand seeming to come from nervous shorts who were not pleased over the action of the market on yesterday.

In view of the developments of the past several days sentiment is less bearish, although it is felt by many that cotton must move for export in greater volume to admit of a further substantial advance.

C. P. ELLIS & CO.

New Orleans, December 28.—(Special.)—The prompt stoppage of all January notices yesterday and today in both American markets and good Liverpool, unsettled short confidence and imparted a good undertone to the market which was maintained throughout the entire session.

While trading was on a moderate scale and the outside speculative demand was limited, it was sufficiently large to easily take care of all offerings and advance prices nine points above yesterday.

The country holds firm and is not tempted to sell below 12 cents, even though exports continue small.

Trade authorities report cotton goods trade as bristling with activity. Southern spot markets were steady and higher at several points. The British admiralty has released the Canadian Pacific railway's trans-Pacific fleet; this included the Pacific Mail company's fleet, which was sold to the International Mercantile Marine.

THORN & MAGINNIS.

New York, December 28.—(Special.)—Under the influence of the firmness of our market yesterday Liverpool advanced so sharply as to induce some realizing here on the idea that so sharp an advance must be followed by a reaction. Large orders, however, for March on a basis of 12.40 absorbed all of these sales that the market has remained steady at about 6 to 8 points advance all day.

Sentiment here is rather in favor of a reaction and surprise at this large buying, which is laid to continental account, after such an advance. They rather expect the south will be a quiet seller, though we think the demand from spinners will absorb the offerings until the actual necessities of Europe brings a revival in the export demand as it did last season.

We think the sentiment here is bearish.

HUBBARD BROS. & CO.

New York, December 28.—(Special.)—Never but once before have we ever at any Christmas carried over 11,250,000 bales of cotton. To be exact, the visible supply and the amount yet to come forward from the old and new cotton is 11,234,000 bales (supposing the crop to be 12,000,000) last year it is true, the figures were about 11,000,000 bales larger than this, but this 11,234,000 bales is 1,900,000 bales larger than on Christmas, 1913, is 1,700,000 bales larger than on Christmas, 1912, is 500,000 bales larger than on Christmas, 1911, is 3,800,000 bales larger than on Christmas, 1910, is 4,700,000 bales larger than on Christmas, 1909.

When the surface conditions indicate so ample a supply, should we not wait until the subsurface bullish conditions begin to assert themselves if we have the largest supply ever known except last year to absorb it. We must have the largest demand ever known except last year. Europe, it is true, will likely take her needs for the next thirty weeks of the cotton year at so much for each of those weeks and not in any one lot, as they have done in former years. The bullish remedy for this condition is also a better distribution of this 11,234,000 bales by persuading Europe in some way to carry on an added one million or one and a half million bales of it. Another remedy would be to decrease the acreage the coming year, but there is little promise of that being done, and the fourth remedy would be for peace to follow. It looks so dangerous to be short of the cotton market because of the unanswerable bullish argument which inflation of all commodities brings in times of war. If it were not for inflation we would think this market high enough at the moment, because we are within close distance of that point where the south will be realizing 12 cents for her spot cotton and the south seems to be voting unanimously to accept the 12 cents price when they can get it. If exports pick up, if mill takings pick up to sufficient proportions to justify the expectation of absorbing this terrific supply, we trust we may be among the first to see it. We would not, however, buy cotton when we expect the owners of spots to stop the market at 10 or 20 points further advance.

RENSKORF, LYON & CO.

Live Stock.

Chicago, December 28.—Hogs, receipts, 21,000; higher. Bulk, $6.20@6.65; light, $6.00@6.55; hixed, $6.15@6.70; heavy, $6.15@6.75; rough, $6.15@6.30; pigs, $5.00@6.15.

Cattle, receipts, 3,000; firm. Native beef steers, $6.00@9.75; cows and heifers, $2.80@8.40; calves, $6.75@10.25.

Sheep, receipts, 12,000; strong. Wethers, $6.60@7.10; ewes, $4.50@6.60; lambs, $7.50@9.90.

St. Louis, December 28.—Hogs, receipts, 6,400; higher. Pigs and lights, $5.75@6.65; mixed and butchers, $6.40@6.80; good heavy, $6.70@6.80.

Cattle, receipts, 3,200; strong. Native beef steers, $7.50@9.50; yearling steers and heifers, $8.50@9.50; cows, $5.50@7.00; stockers and feeders, $5.00@7.25; Texas and Indian steers, $5.25@8.50; cows and heifers, $4.00@6.50; native calves, $6.00@9.50.

Sheep, receipts, 2,200; higher. Yearlings, $6.50@8.50; lambs, $6.00@9.50; sheep and ewes, $5.50@6.50.

Kansas City, December 28.—Hogs, receipts, 10,00; higher; closed weak. Bulk, $6.30@6.70; heavy, $6.60@6.75; packers and butchers, $6.40@6.70; light, $6.25@6.55; pigs, $5.00@6.00.

Cattle, receipts, 7,000; steady. Prime fed steers, $9.00@9.50; dressed beef steers, $6.50@8.50; southern steers, $5.00@6.75; cows, $4.00@6.85; heifers, $5.75@9.00; stockers and feeders, $5.50@8.00; bulls, $4.75@5.75; calves, $6.00@9.00.

Sheep, receipts, 6,000; higher. Lambs, $8.75@9.40; yearlings, $7.25@8.25; wethers, $6.00@6.65; ewes, $5.25@6.25.

Coffee.

New York, December 28.—The market for coffee futures was steady on a little European buying of the late months and some scattered covering. Offerings were very light and after opening at an advance of 5 to 7 points the market closed at a net gain of 7 to 11 points, with March selling around 6.70 July, 6.97 and September 6.97. Sales were only 7,250 bags.

Spot coffee quiet; Rio sevens, 7⅝; Santos fours, 9.

Very few offers were reported in the cost and freight market and quotations were about unchanged.

The official cables reported no change in milreis prices, while there was an advance of 1-16d in the rate of Rio exchange on London. Brazilian port receipts, 81,000; Jundiahy, 49,000.

Range in New York futures Tuesday:

	Opening.	Closing.
January		6.63@6.65
February		6.66@6.68
March	6.63@6.70	6.70@6.71
April		6.74@6.75
May	6.70 bid	6.78@6.79
June	6.78@6.84	6.82@6.84
July	6.85 bid	6.87@6.88
August	6.85@6.90	6.92@6.93
September	6.92 bid	6.97@6.98
October	7.00@7.03	7.01@7.03
November	7.00	7.05@7.07
December		6.58@6.60

Cotton Seed Oil.

New York, December 28.—Cotton seed oil was in light demand, the trading being professional in character. Final prices were one point higher to two points net lower.

Range New York futures Tuesday:

	Opening.	Closing.
Spots		8.49@8.60
December	8.40	8.49@8.60
January	8.47@8.50	8.51@8.53
February	8.43@8.45	8.48@8.50
March	8.44@8.45	8.47@8.48
April	8.46@8.52	8.50@8.55
May	8.54@8.55	8.57@8.58
June	8.55@8.62	8.60@8.63
July	8.63@8.64	8.63@8.68

Tone, steady; sales, 7,000.

London Financial.

London, December 28.—Bar silver, 25⅝d per ounce.

Money, 4@4¼ per cent.

Discount rates: Short bills, 5¼ per cent; three months 5½ per cent.

LIQUIDATION SAGS ALL CHICAGO LIST

Big Profit-Taking in Wheat Swept Away Good Inquiry and Lessened Receipts as Bullish Arguments.

Chicago, December 28.—General selling to realize profits and to close up accounts for the year brought about a decided setback today in the value of wheat. Prices at the close were unsettled, but 1½ to 3½c net lower, with May at $1.24⅝@¾, and July at $1.17¼. Corn lost 1¼@1⅜ to 2⅛c, and oats ½@⅝ to 1c. Provisions finished unchanged to 35c down.

Liquidation in wheat was on a big scale right from the start. Notwithstanding that most of the unloading appeared to be of a profit-taking character, many stop-loss orders were encountered, especially after support began to dwindle, when the break in prices failed to stop at $1.25 for May. The trade ignored higher cables and a lessening of Northwestern receipts, but seemed to be affected by a heavy increase of the world's available supply total and by word of excellent harvest conditions in Argentina, where the estimates of the exportable surplus was materially enlarged. There also were Kansas and Nebraska reports that the amount of wheat in farmers' hands was the largest on record for this time of the year.

Conflicting figures were current as to the quantity of export business done. According to some authorities, the total for the last forty-eight hours was more than 1,500,000 bushels. On the other hand, gossip was afloat that some foreigners had sold futures today quite freely.

Corn reflected the weakness of wheat. Besides, eastern demand was slow, and an increase of receipts after the first of the year was in prospect.

Oats followed other cereals down grade. Large export sales were said to have been made, but the news was not generally known until after the end of the session.

Packers sold provisions and more than wiped out an early advance that resulted from higher prices on hogs. The break in grain appeared to be responsible to some extent for the selling, and so, too, was the outlook for more than plentiful arrivals of hogs next week.

Chicago Quotations.

Range on board of trade Tuesday:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
WHEAT—					
May	1.26¼	1.26⅞	1.23⅝	1.24⅝	1.26⅞
July	1.17	1.17½	1.15⅛	1.16¼	......
CORN—					
Dec.	73⅝	74	71½	71⅞	74
May	77⅜	77¼	75¼	75⅝	77½
OATS—					
Dec.	43½	43⅝	42⅝	42⅝	43⅝
May	47⅝	47⅝	46⅝	47	47½
PORK—					
Jan.	18.75	18.75	18.50	18.50	18.85
May	18.95	18.95	18.75	18.75	18.85
LARD—					
Jan.	9.75	9.75	9.67	9.70	9.72
May	10.05	10.05	9.95	9.97	10.00
RIBS—					
Jan.	10.00	10.02	9.92	9.92	10.00
May	10.40	10.40	10.25	10.27	10.35

Receipts in Chicago.

	Tuesday.
Wheat	802 cars
Corn	676 cars
Oats	439 cars
Hogs	20,000 head

Primary Movement.

Receipts—Wheat, 1,904,000, versus 1,207,000 last week.

Receipts—Corn, 1,322,000, versus 1,930,000 last week.

Shipments—Wheat, 1,022,000, versus 898,000 last week.

Shipments—Corn, 510,000, versus 923,000 last week.

Grain.

Chicago, December 28.—Wheat, No. 2 red, nominal; No. 3 red, $1.10@1.23; No. 2 hard, $1.23@1.25½; No. 3 hard, $1.17@1.19½.

Corn, No. 2 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, 69@70½; No. 4 white, 68½@70.

Oats, No. 3 white, 42@43¼; standard, 43½@45.

Rye, No. 2, 98.

Barley, 64@74.

Timothy, $5.00@8.25.

Clover, $10.00@19.00.

St. Louis, December 28.—Wheat, No. 2 red, $1.25; No. 2 hard, nominal; December, $1.15; May, $1.20.

Corn, No. 2, 72@74½; No. 2 white, 72½@73½; December, 73½; May, 73½@73⅝.

Oats, No. 2, 42@42½; No. 3 white, nominal; December, 42¾; May, 44⅝.

Kansas City, December 28.—Wheat, No. 2 hard, $1.15@1.18; No. 2 red, $1.18@1.20.

Corn, No. 2 mixed, 68@68⅝; No. 2 white, 68; No. 2 yellow, 69½.

Oats, No. 2 white, 43½@44; No. 2 mixed, 39½@40½.

Country Produce.

New York, December 28.—Butter unsettled; receipts, 8,152. Creamery, extras (92 score), 33½; creamery (higher scoring), 34@34½; firsts, 28@32.

Eggs steady; receipts, 9,328; fresh gathered extra fine, 34@35; extra firsts, 32½@33; firsts, 31@32; seconds, 29@30.

Cheese firm; receipts, 1,733; state, whole milk, flats held, specials, 17¼@17½; do. average fancy, 17; do. current make specials, 16¾@17; do. average fancy, 16¼@16½.

Dressed poultry firm; fresh killed western chickens, 14½@27; fowls, 12½@17; turkeys, 24@27.

Live poultry uncertain, asking 14 cents for chickens and 15 cents for fowls.

Chicago, December 28.—Butter lower; creamery, 22½@23.

Eggs lower; receipts, 6,779 cases; firsts, 27½; ordinary firsts, 26@26½; at mark, cases included, 21@27.

Potatoes higher; receipts, 24 cars; Michigan and Wisconsin white, 75@83; Minnesota and Dakota white, 75@80; Minnesota and Dakota-Ohios, 70@75.

Poultry, alive, unchanged.

St. Louis, December 28.—Poultry, chickens, 9½@11; springs, 14; turkeys, 16@20; ducks, 15½; geese, 12@14.

Butter, unchanged.

Eggs, 27.

Naval Stores.

Savannah, Ga., December 28.—Turpentine firm, 52½; sales, 218; receipts, 481; shipments, 90; stock, 22,666.

Rosin firm; sales, 798; receipts, 3,967; shipments, 5,773; stock, 105,332.

Quote: A, B, C, D, E, F, G, $5.45; H, $5.50; I, $5.55; K, $5.85; M, $6.20; N, $6.75; window glass, $7.00; water white, $7.25.

Jacksonville, Fla., December 28.—Turpentine firm, 52¾; sales, 109; receipts, 95; shipments, 162; stock, 35,577.

Rosin firm; sales, 2,648; receipts, 1,186; shipments, 2,010; stock, 135,976.

Quote: A, B, C, D, E, F, G, $5.45; H, $5.50; I, $5.55; K, $5.95; M, $6.25@6.30; N, $6.65; window glass, $6.90; water white, $7.20.

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LOST—Female black and tan dog. Name "Miggie." Reward. Mrs. W. C. Davis, 15 Westwood avenue, West End Park.

LOST—Eastern Star pin, between 39 Whitehall and Hunter, or on Capitol avenue car. Main 4130-J. Reward.

LOST—Bunch of keys, between Davis-Fischer Sanitarium and Medlock's Pharmacy. Ivy 5139; reward.

LOST—A pocket book on Decatur car. About $7.00. Black; contained two small purses, string of beads; $5 gold, etc. Ivy 6859.

LOST—Ladies' watch on Peachtree car, between 7 and 8 o'clock Tuesday morning. Engraved "Ruth." Phone M. 1504-J. Reward.

STOLEN—One 5-passenger Ford automobile. License No. 76800, N. C. Gray wheels, dark seat covers. Phone Ivy 7234.

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HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED—Male

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WANTED—Salesman; have live proposition for live man with selling ability who wants to get into business for himself; not much capital required, but must be responsible. Call room 1215 Ansley hotel, 2 to 4 afternoons or 7 to 9 evenings, Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday.

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HELP WANTED—Male

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WE HAVE on hand the following sums: $1,000, $1,500 and $2,000, to loan on improved Atlanta real estate. Cameron Mortgage-Loan Co., Phone Main 921. 502-3 Third National Bank bldg.

FOR SALE—MORTGAGE LOANS
FOR SALE—Purchase money notes and mortgage loans on Atlanta real estate on a 7 per cent and 8 per cent basis. The Merchants and Mechanics' Banking and Loan Company, 209 Grant Bldg. Ivy 5341.

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TRAVELERS' INSURANCE COMPANY,
INVESTORS' SAVINGS COMPANY.
City Real Estate Loans.
Purchase Money Notes Bought.
SEE REX B. MOONEY,
221 GRANT BLDG. BOTH PHONES.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE.
I WILL make farm loans in counties of Campbell, Clayton, Fayette, Spalding, Pike and Meriwether. Interest 6 to 7½ per cent. Time 3 to 5 years. Write me. Prompt attention. R. O. Cochran, College Park, Ga., Route No. 1.

MORTGAGE LOANS made on property in and near Atlanta at current rates of interest, reasonable expense and prompt attention. See us before borrowing. Purchase money notes bought and sold. TURMAN & CALHOUN, Empire Bldg.

AGENTS MORTGAGE LOAN CO.
ANY AMOUNT, $100 TO $5,000, LOT OR HOME. WE HAVE MONEY IN BANK TO MAKE YOUR LOAN PROMPTLY. T. J. BETTES & CO., 801 EMPIRE BLDG. IVY 7811, ATLANTA 1983.

$10,000 or parts thereof, on Atlanta property. Quick action. Otis & Holiday, Peters building.

LOAN-BOND CO.
REAL ESTATE LOANS.
1616 Healey Bldg. Ivy 7536.
J. Lewis McKoin.

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LOANS AND REAL ESTATE.
1002 Hurt Bldg.
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LOCAL FUNDS, cash quick; loans from $1,000 to $5,000. Choice loans on stores, dwellings and apts., $5,000 to $30,000. Lowest current rate. Dunson & Gay, 409 Equitable. Ivy 5678.

MONEY TO LOAN on city property. W. O. Alston, 1203 Third Nat'l Bank Bldg.

MONEY to lend on improved real estate. C. C. McGehee, Jr., 622 to 624 Empire Bldg.

WANTED—Money

WANTED, MONEY—Splendid demand for local money on improved Atlanta and suburban real estate at 7 and 8 per cent. Security two or more times value of loan. If you have money to loan, see us. Foster & Robson, 11 Edgewood avenue.

PURCHASE MONEY NOTES

WANTED—To buy good second mortgage monthly notes at reasonable discount. L. H. Zurline & Co., 501-2 Silvey Bldg. Phone Main 624.

$1,000 TO $2,500 for first mortgage purchase money notes. Improved property. Mr. Kelly. Ivy 2390.

RAILROAD SCHEDULES

The arrival and departure of passenger trains, Atlanta.
The following schedule figures are published only as information and are not guaranteed.

Atlanta Terminal Station.

*Daily except Sunday. †Sunday only.
Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic.

Effective May 30.	Arrive.	Leave.
Brunswick, Waycross and Thomasville	6:10 am	7:30 am
Brunswick, Waycross and Thomasville	7:10 pm	10:30 pm

Sleeping cars on night trains between Atlanta and Thomasville.

Atlanta and West Point Railroad Company.

No. Arrive From—		No. Depart To—	
42 West Pt.	8:15 am	35 New Or..	6:25 am
18 Colum's.	10:55 am	15 Columbus	6:45 am
38 New Or.	11:50 am	33 Montg'y..	9:10 am
40 New Or.	2:15 pm	39 New Or..	2:00 pm
34 Montg'y.	7:10 pm	17 Columbus.	4:05 pm
30 Colum's.	7:45 pm	37 New Or..	5:20 pm
36 New Or.	11:35 pm	41 West Pt.	5:45 pm

Central of Georgia Railway.
"The Right Way."

Arrive From—		Depart To—	
Savannah...	6:25 am	Savannah...	8:00 am
Thomasville.	6:25 am	Albany.....	8:00 am
Albany.....	6:25 am	Macon......	12:30 pm
Macon......	6:25 am	Macon......	4:00 pm
Jacksonville	6:53 am	Jacksonville	8:40 pm
Jacksonville	7:40 am	Valdosta....	8:40 pm
Macon.....	10:50 am	Savannah...	9:20 pm
Savannah...	4:20 pm	Jacksonv'e.	10:15 pm
Macon......	7:00 pm	Thomasv'e.	11:59 pm
Albany.....	7:55 pm	Albany.....	11:59 pm

City Ticket Office, Fourth National Bank building, Peachtree and Marietta streets. Telephone—Main 490.

Southern Railway.
Premier Carrier of the South.

No. Arrive From—		No. Depart To—	
23 Jackson'e	5:55 am	36 N. Y....	12:01 am
35 New York	6:05 am	20 Colum's..	6:15 am
1 Jackson'e.	6:10 am	1 Chicago..	6:20 am
12 Shrevep't	6:30 am	23 Kan. City	6:25 am
17 Toccoa...	8:10 am	12 Richm'd.	6:55 am
26 Heflin....	8:20 am	7 Chatta'a.	7:10 am
8 Chatta'a	10:35 am	32 Ft. Val'y.	7:15 am
27 Ft. Val'y	10:45 am	16 Brunsw'k.	7:45 am
7 Macon..	10:45 am	6 Jackso'e	11:30 am
21 Colum's.	10:55 am	38 N. Y....	12:05 pm
40 Memphis	11:15 am	40 Charl'e..	12:15 pm
6 Cincin'i.	11:20 am	29 Birm'm.	12:25 pm
29 N. Y....	12:10 pm	30 N. Y.....	2:25 pm
30 Birm'm..	2:10 pm	15 Chattan'a	3:00 pm
39 Charle'e..	4:20 pm	18 Toccoa...	4:45 pm
5 Jackson'e	4:40 pm	5 Cincin'i..	4:50 pm
37 N. Y....	5:00 pm	22 Colum's..	5:10 pm
15 Bruns'k..	7:00 pm	39 Memphis.	5:15 pm
11 Richm'd.	8:00 pm	28 Ft. Val'y.	5:20 pm
31 Ft. Val'y.	8:00 pm	10 Macon...	5:30 pm
13 Jackson'e	8:10 pm	25 Heflin....	5:45 pm
16 Chatta'a.	9:15 pm	13 Cincin'i..	8:20 pm
2 Chicago..	9:45 pm	2 Jackso'e.	9:55 pm
24 Kan. City	9:55 pm	24 Jackso'e.	10:05 pm
19 Colum's.	10:25 pm	14 Jackso'e.	11:15 pm
14 Cincin'i.	11:05 pm	11 Shrevep't	11:30 pm

All Trains Run Daily, Central Time.
City Ticket Office, No. 74 Peachtree St.

Union Passenger Station.

*Daily except Sunday. †Sunday only.
Georgia Railroad.

No. Arrive From—		No. Depart To—	
3 Charle'n	6:10 am	2 Aug. and East....	6:00 am
3 Wilmi'n.	6:10 am	6 Augus'a	12:10 pm
11 Buckh'd	7:40 am	8 Augusta	3:30 pm
†13 Buckh'd	9:35 am	12 Buckh'd	6:10 pm
1 Augusta.	1:15 pm	†14 Buckh'd	5:00 pm
5 Augusta	4:35 pm	4 Charl'n.	8:35 pm
7 New York and Aug.	8:20 pm	4 Wilmin'n	8:35 pm

Louisville and Nashville Railroad.

Effective Nov. 21—	Leave.	Arrive.
Cincinnati-Louisville...... Chicago and Northwest...	4:45 pm	11:40 am
Cincinnati and Louisville..	7:18 am	10:05 pm
Knoxville via Blue Ridge..	7:25 am	5:00 pm
Knoxville via Cartersville..	7:18 am	10:05 pm
Knoxville via Cartersville..	4:45 pm	11:40 am
Blue Ridge accommodation.	3:40 pm	10:30 am

The 10:05 p. m. train will arrive Terminal Station.

Seaboard Air Line Railway.
Effective May 30, 1915.

No. Arrive From—		No. Depart To—	
11 N. Y.....	7:00 am	11 Birm'm..	6:30 am
11 Norfolk..	7:00 am	30 Monroe...	7:00 am
11 Washin'n.	7:00 am	6 N. Y.....	3:00 pm
11 Portsm'h.	7:00 am	6 Wash'n..	3:00 pm
17 Abbe,S.C.	8:50 am	6 Norfolk..	3:00 pm
6 Birm'm..	2:30 pm	6 Ports'h...	3:00 pm
22 Memphis	11:10 am	6 Richm'd.	3:00 pm
22 Birm'm.	11:10 am	23 Birm'm...	3:45 pm
5 N. Y.....	5:00 pm	5 Birm'm...	5:20 pm
5 Washin'n.	5:00 pm	5 Memphis.	5:20 pm
5 Norfolk..	5:00 pm	18 Abbe,S.C.	4:00 pm
5 Portsm'h.	5:00 pm	12 N. Y.....	8:30 pm
12 Birm'm..	9:00 pm	12 Norfolk..	8:30 pm
29 Monroe...	8:00 pm	12 Portsm'h.	8:30 pm

City Ticket Office, 88 Peachtree St.

Western and Atlantic Railroad.

No. Arrive From—		No. Depart To—	
3 Nashville.	7:10 am	94 Chicago..	8:15 am
73 Rome...	10:25 am	2 Nashville.	8:30 am
93 Memphis	11:55 am	92 Memphis.	4:55 pm
1 Nashville.	6:35 pm	72 Rome....	5:15 pm
96 Chicago..	8:20 pm	4 Nashville.	8:50 pm

No. 95—Dixie Flyer, arrives Terminal Station.

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OPEN AND CLOSED CARS.
BELLE ISLE
No. 4 LUCKIE. IVY 5190-166.

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EXCELSIOR AUTO COMPANY.
ATL. 3660—8 LUCKIE—I. 322

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SEEDS AND PLANTS.
SELECT COTTON SEED
THERE has never been such a demand for fine seed; they are scarce and high; get them while you can. Cleveland's big boll, Redding's select Cleveland and Wannamaker's pedigree Cleveland, pure, sound and true to name; ginned on our private gin and as good as any man can show. $1.00 bushel for one or 100 bushels. Fair View Farm, Palmetto, Ga.

PECAN TREES are valuable for both crop and shade; every property owner should have a few on his lot. We furnish trees and plant them. Murphy's Nurseries, office 23 Auburn ave. Ivy 482-J.

COWS.
FOR SALE—Two nice Jersey cows, fresh in milk; young and perfectly gentle. 10 Racine street. W. 1265-J. or M. 2301.

DOGS.
FOR SALE—Bullterrier pups, thoroughbred; fine specimens; prices reasonable; will be shipped on basis satisfaction or money refunded. Address Box 76, Richland, Ga.

FOR SALE—One thoroughbred setter; fine hunter and retriever. Apply to C. C. Winfree, Hamilton, Ga.

HOGS.
BERKSHIRE HOGS
SPECIAL offering of boars, ready for service, bred and open gilts. A combination of individual excellence with practical utility, size as well as quality and breeding. Fair View Farm, Palmetto, Ga.

FIRST check for $20 gets my female pointer; age 2 years. Trained retriever. A. C. Buffington, Maysville, Ga.

FIVE SOWS, four Berkshires, one O. I. C.; all fine brood sows. Will sell cheap. J. W. Grimes, 150 Nelson street.

A 5-MONTHS-OLD bird dog for sale cheap. J. C. Clarke, Camak, Ga.

FOR SALE.
ATTENTION CATTLE SHIPPERS! We will dip free of charge all cattle from quarantined area. A. L. Suttles Co., Atlanta, Ga.

HORSES AND VEHICLES

FOR RENT—Horses, wagons, buggies, by the hour or day. 209 Whitehall St. Main 2393. Atlanta phone 1394.

DRESSMAKING—SEWING

EXPERT DRESSMAKING—Fancy dresses, street dresses and evening dresses made very reasonable. Give us a trial. 40½ Whitehall. Main 3040.

WORK guaranteed; plain and fancy dressmaking; very reasonable. 286 Peachtree. Ivy 6699-J.

46 CURRIER—Expert dressmaking; trial will bring you back. Reasonable. Ivy 5552.

DRESSMAKING and fancy sewing a specialty; reasonable. 158 Wash'ton. M. 1626.

FIRST-CLASS plain and fancy dressmaking; reasonable. 121 Mills st.

Read The Constitution Want Ads

ROOM and BOARD

NORTH SIDE.

THE NEW ROY
22 EAST ELLIS
UNDER new management; rooms newly papered and renovated; first-class board.

477 PEACHTREE
IN old Henry W. Grady home, room and board to gentlemen and couples. Homelike.

A COUPLE, in private family; no other boarders; every modern convenience; best of north side neighborhood; references. Phone Ivy 3479-L.

THE BYRON BEAUTIFULLY furnished room and connecting bath; meals; ideal location. 210 West Peachtree. I. 4562.

THREE front rooms, light, private bath, instantaneous heater; good meals, best location, between Peachtrees. Ivy 152.

ROOM and board; good home cooking, served family style. Meals a specialty. Close in. 72 Walton. Ivy 5606-J.

198 W. PEACHTREE—Large, bright rooms, with board, furnace heat, walking distance; very reasonable. Ivy 4931-J.

ROOMS with excellent meals; best of location; reasonable; private home; close in. Atlanta 5610-F.

EXCELLENT room and board for two young men. All conveniences. On Myrtle, near Ponce de Leon; garage. Ivy 1495.

14 W. P'TREE—Apt 1, one large, steam-heated room; excellent board; close in; reasonable. Ivy 6576-L. Mrs. Smith.

62 WALTON—The Carroll; good table, prompt service; modern conveniences. We cater satisfaction.

WANTED—Three or four select boarders; also roommate for young man; close in; reasonable. Ivy 6939.

LARGE room, furnace heat; board; private home; close in. W. Peachtree. Ivy 5859-J.

220 PEACHTREE, the Wilton; steam heat, good table, prompt service. Miss Kirtley.

89 E. LINDEN AVE., front rooms and board for a few young men. Ivy 6098-J.

263 W. P'TREE—Nicely fur. rooms; adjoining bath. Also front room. I. 5774-L.

BOARDERS wanted with private family; no children. 3 Delta place. Ivy 1214-L.

71 FORREST AVE., one or two gentlemen; private home; close in. Ivy 5912-J.

THE MILLER HOUSE, 50 Houston street. Best room and board; reasonable.

DOWNSTAIRS room, private bath, entrance, sleeping porch. 794 Peachtree.

SOUTH SIDE.

EXCELLENT room and board. Transients solicited. 306 East Hunter street. Atl. 4153.

205 S. FORSYTH—Nice rooms, with excellent board; every convenience. Atl. 2933.

NICELY fur. rooms, with board; young men or couple. $15 month. M. 3614.

38 CAPITOL Rooms, with or without board. Main 3258-L.

INMAN PARK.

LARGE front room, steam heat, excellent meals, men or business women. Ivy 1124-L.

FOR RENT—Rooms

FURNISHED—NORTH SIDE.

IMPERIAL HOTEL
BEST family and tourist hotel in Atlanta; first-class in every respect; extra large rooms, beautifully furnished and well ventilated. A few vacant rooms. Come and investigate and we are sure that you will stop at the Imperial. Special attention paid to tourists. Hotel absolutely fire-proof.

THE PICKWICK
TEN STORY AND FIREPROOF.
WELL furnished rooms with connecting bath. Convenient shower bath on each floor. 77 Fairlie St., Near Carnegie Library.

LARGE connecting living room and bedrooms, with bath adjoining; with private family; to couple or two ladies; quiet neighborhood; adjacent to 3 car lines. References exchanged. Ivy 8766.

THE ADOLPH 10½ E. HARRIS ST. Bachelor rooms de luxe. Every modern convenience. I. 3071.

NICELY furnished front room, connecting bath, steam heat, electric lights and phone, one block Candler Bldg. Ivy 8514-J.

ONE nicely fur. front room, hot and cold water; reasonable. 125 W. Peachtree. Ivy 7991-J.

20 E. ELLIS—Nicely furnished rooms, opposite Aragon Hotel. Ivy 4858-J.

FURNISHED room; all conveniences. 58 E. Merritts ave. I. 974-L.

WELL-FURNISHED front room; furnace heat. Ansley Park. References. Ivy 1783.

15 W. 11th, near Peachtree, furnished room, steam heat, nice home. Ivy 5696.

500 PEACHTREE—Nice room, also room and kitchenette; steam heat, garage.

FRONT rooms, steam heated, $2.50 week; block from postoffice. 11 Cone St.

UNFURNISHED—SOUTH SIDE.

FOR RENT—Entire upper floor, unfurnished, with all conveniences; close in; very reasonable. M. 1574-J. 206 Rawson.

512 CAPITOL AVE.—2 con. upstairs rooms; bath, hot water, lights; adults. M. 5371-J.

UNFURNISHED—INMAN PARK.

THREE nice rooms; bath, heat, hot water, electric lights, phone, car line; with owner; reasonable. Ivy 1398-J.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.

AFTER January 1, large, neat rooms for couple without children; furnace heat, electric lights; reasonable. Ivy 4468-J.

FOUR large rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences. North side. I. 6548-L.

WANTED—Board and Room

GENTLEMAN wants steam-heated room, with morning and evening meals, in the neighborhood of Peachtree and North avenue. Address J-42, Constitution.

A REFINED young business woman desires board in private home, with modern conveniences; West End preferred. Ref. exchanged. H-699, Constitution.

TWO fur. rooms and kitchenette, on N. S. ref. exchanged. Ivy 4350.

FOR RENT—Housekeeping Rooms

NORTH SIDE.

AN ideal suite of two furnished rooms, with kitchenette, adjoining bath, upstairs front, private home; no children taken, $28 per month. Ivy 7779.

325 COURTLAND, 2 nicely fur. front housekeeping rooms, complete, to couple; private home; bath, phone—every convenience. Reasonable.

AN ideal suite of two rooms, with kitchenette; upstairs, front. Atl. 5924. 34 Carnegie way.

ONE room and kitchenette; furnace heat; also two unfurnished rooms. 514 Peachtree street. Apply 534 Peachtree.

NORTH SIDE, four nicely furnished rooms, first floor; heated, electric lights, gas. Well located. Ivy 8612-J.

FUR. room and kitchenette; conveniently located; very reasonable. Ivy 6765-L.

21 W. PEACHTREE PLACE—Fur. room; also housekeeping room. Ivy 1499-J.

THREE first floor rooms, lights, hot water, telephone. 220 Capitol ave.

TWO large, nicely fur. rooms, private home; close in; very reasonable. Ivy 7331.

SOUTH SIDE.

FUR. or unfur. housekeeping rooms, electric lights, hot and cold water; all modern convenience. 161 Whitehall. Atl. 5926-A.

ONE or two furnished bed rooms, with kitchenette. 34 Cooper street.

WEST END.

TWO nicely fur. rooms for light housekeeping; private family; all conveniences, including electric lights. Ref. exchanged. West 1263-J.

FOR RENT—Three nicely furnished connecting rooms for housekeeping; all modern conveniences. 38 Egleston. West 965-J.

APARTMENTS, HOUSES, ETC.

FOR RENT—Apartments

UNFURNISHED.

ONE NICE FIVE-ROOM
APARTMENT on Peachtree place, corner W. Peachtree; all modern improvements, steam heat. Price reasonable. Phone Main 883. Ivy 4080.

ELEGANT 4-room apartment, steam heat, hot and cold water; janitor service; all modern conveniences; can be seen at 324 Forrest avenue. L. B. Sanders, Owner, 407 Peters building. Phone Ivy 568-J.

FOR RENT—Apartments

UNFURNISHED.

BEAUTIFUL 4-ROOM APARTMENT, EAST FIFTH STREET, LARGE ROOMS, TILE BATH, FURNACE HEAT, HOT AND COLD WATER. JANITOR. IVY 6154-J.

FOR RENT—Nice five-room, steam-heated apartment; conveniences; sleeping porch. 442 West Peachtree street. Phone Ivy 7260-J.

TWO rooms, kitchenette and tile bath; large single room, private bath; all steam-heated. Ivy 7093.

5-ROOM APT., including sleeping porch; all conveniences. 61 Currier st. I. 1516.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT
LIVINGSTON—95 East North avenue. One block from Peachtree, steam heated, three and four rooms; hardwood floors, tile bath rooms, shower baths. ICE VACUUM CLEANER AND JANITOR SERVICE FURNISHED FREE. Ten minutes' walk from FIVE POINTS. RENTS $32.50 and up.
FELD REALTY CO.
GROUND FLOOR HURT BUILDING.
Phone—Ivy 4679.

FURNISHED.

NICELY furnished apt., of 5 rooms, private entrance, bath and sleeping porch, all conveniences, except steam heat, ex. loc. W. 583.

FOUR connecting rooms, nicely furnished, private bath, every modern convenience. References. Ivy 6535-J.

WANTED—Apartments

WANTED—fur. apt. for couple; no children; 2 rooms, kitchenette and bath; walking distance; in fine neighborhood. Must be reasonable. Address J-11, Constitution.

FOR RENT—Houses

UNFURNISHED.

FOR RENT—Three complete housekeeping apartments, 3, 4 and 5 rooms; Houston, near Boulevard. Price way down, nearly half, $10, $12.50 and $15. Call Ivy 6186, quick.

HOUSES, stores, offices and business space for rent. A phone message will bring our rent bulletin by mail, or a polite, intelligent representative to help you find what you want. George P. Moore, 10 Auburn avenue. Phones—Ivy 2326 and 2327; Atlanta phone 5493.

Decatur Homes for Rent
Phone Decatur 148. Jones & Ramspeck.

OUR weekly rent list gives full description of anything for rent. Call for one or let us mail it to you. Forrest & George Adair.

498 W. PEACHTREE st., 8 rooms, servant's room, furnace, grates, electric lights. Watkins, Fourth National Bank bldg. Main 648.

FURNISHED.

FOR RENT—Completely furnished 6-room St. Charles avenue bungalow, furnace heat. Call Ivy 5088-L.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.

FOR quick results list your vacant houses with Beasley & Hardwick, 605 Empire Bldg.

FOR results list your property with Sharp, Boylston & Day, 12 Auburn avenue.

FOR RENT—Offices

FOR RENT—Offices in Constitution building; all modern conveniences. See John Knight.

DESIRABLE OFFICES, single and en suite. Some of these are equipped with compressed air and dental waste; hot and cold water in all offices; all night elevator service; location best in the city and service unexcelled. Candler building, Candler Annex and Forsyth building. Asa G. Candler, Jr., Agent. Phone Ivy 5274. 232 Candler building. See Mr. Wilkinson.

ONE-HALF my office, with use of Bell phone, $9 month. Apply 904 Empire bldg.

FOR RENT—Typewriters

TYPEWRITERS
TYPEWRITERS rented four months for $5 and up. Initial payment applied in case of purchase. Catalog No. C-70 free. Supplies and repairs a specialty. American Writing Machine Company, 48 North Pryor street, Atlanta, Ga.

REAL ESTATE

WANTED—Real Estate

CITY.

I WANT a home of about 7 rooms on north side—West Peachtree, Ponce de Leon section. Must be in good condition and a bargain. Not to cost over $7,000. Address J-11, Constitution.

LIST YOUR real estate with us. We have the customers. George P. Moore, 10 Auburn avenue. Salesmen: I. W. Harrell, Louis M. Johnson, T. M. Word. Come to see us.

REAL ESTATE—Sale, Exchange

FOR TRADE OR RENT—$15,500, 22-room furnished hotel. Will accept $5,000 clear property, balance $100 month; rents $100 month, advance. C. F. Taylor, Lakeland, Florida.

ALL classes city and farm property to exchange. R. F. Bishop, Atl. Nat'l. M. 5202.

REAL ESTATE—FOR SALE

MISCELLANEOUS.

IF IT IS real estate you want to buy or sell, it will pay you to see me. A. Graves, 24 East Hunter street.

I MAKE A SPECIALTY of Georgia lands. Thomas W. Jackson, 1018-19 Fourth National Bank building.

H. M. ASHE & CO. Bargains in city and farm property. 1329 Healey. Ivy 1816.

FARM LANDS.

A SMALL FARM
WELL watered and close in, adjoining Bowden spring; 15 acres with new 5-room bungalow style house, in Austell, Ga., for $3,000; any kind of terms; no loan to assume. John A. Humphries, owner, 19½ Peachtree st.

GEORGIA FARM, acreage tract, near Atlanta. If interested will mail bulletin. Brotherton & Callahan, East Point, Ga. Bell phone, East Point 436.

FOR RENT—Apartments

PEACHTREE CIRCLE
WE HAVE A THREE-ROOM APARTMENT in this beautiful apartment house, which, surrounded by the best homes in the city, has all modern conveniences. See us for price.

THE RUSSELL
WE HAVE ONLY TWO APARTMENTS LEFT in this beautiful building, of four rooms and sun parlor, which makes practically five rooms each. This is one of the best built apartments in the city, and has every modern convenience.

M. L. THROWER
39 NORTH FORSYTH STREET. BELL PHONE IVY 163-164.

PEACHTREE APARTMENTS
CORNER PEACHTREE AND PEACHTREE CIRCLE, beautifully built, solid oak interior, two baths, lavatories, three bedrooms, living room, sitting room, library, dining room, fireplaces, kitchen and both porches. Everything necessary in an apartment furnished. Only one left at $90 per month.

BELL APARTMENTS
CORNER Ponce de Leon and Boulevard, 4 and 5 rooms, all very large, and big closets, fine tile baths, big kitchen and everything newly painted. Steam heat, hot and cold water, janitor service. Big value at $35 and $40. See us.

TURMAN & CALHOUN
Second Floor Empire Building.

FOR RENT—Stores

New Retail Store For Rent
142 WHITEHALL ST. We wish to call careful attention to a new retail structure at the northeast corner of Whitehall and Trinity avenue. The building has three floors, each about 25x100 feet in size; in addition a basement excavated under sidewalk, giving considerable additional space. The building is of concrete construction; absolutely fireproof; has plate glass on three sides; electric passenger elevator, and a steam heating plant. It is one of the handsomest in the city, and properly located for good retail trade. We think it particularly well suited for high-class furniture store. Now ready.

FORREST & GEORGE ADAIR

FOR RENT—Miscellaneous

FOR RENT
TRINITY AVENUE—Between Whitehall and South Forsyth, 20,000 square feet floor space, mill construction, sprinkler system, steam heat, electric elevator, splendid lights; modern in every respect; suitable for manufacturing or wholesale business. Apply Albert Kaufmann, 11-13-15-17 Trinity avenue.

REAL ESTATE—FOR SALE

EDWIN L. HARLING
REAL ESTATE. 33 EAST ALABAMA ST. BOTH PHONES 1287.

SACRIFICE IN NORTH SIDE HOME—On the best part of Myrtle street, we have a large corner lot, with a new 10-room, two-story brick residence, that we will sell for $8,750, $1,500 cash, balance to suit. This home has been held for $12,500. It has slate roof, steam heat, servant's house, garage, two baths, and two sleeping porches. No fault can be found with this house. If you are in the market for a magnificent home this place will please you.

WEST END LOTS AT A BARGAIN—On one of the best streets in West End, right at the car line, we have two fine east front lots, 50x215 each, that we will sell for $1,250 each, on your own terms. These lots have all street improvements, and have been held for $2,100. This is a chance for you. Save a few hundred on that home you are thinking of building. See us at once.

GEO. P. MOORE
REAL ESTATE AND RENTING
10 AUBURN AVE.

$50,000.00 CENTRAL BUILDING
IN THE HEART of Atlanta; consider unincumbered farm up to $20,000.00 as part payment.

60,000 SQUARE FEET
WAREHOUSE on main thoroughfare, 160 feet frontage, worth $60,000.00. Can deliver at $55,000.00—take $20,000.00 to $25,000.00 farm as part payment.

BUILDING DEFICIT HAS BEEN REMOVED

This Year's Building Operations Considerably in Excess of Those of Last Year—The Figures.

Six months ago Atlanta's deficit in building operations for the first half of 1915, as compared with the corresponding period of 1914, was three-quarters of a million dollars. This gain has been reduced steadily during the past six months, until, last night, at the close of the records in the city building inspector's office for Tuesday, a gain of $15,000 was shown. Several substantial permits, as predicted in The Constitution, were issued during the day, which more than recouped the overhanging deficit of $26,000 reported Monday.

Two more days remain, and every permit issued means just that much larger gain for 1915 over 1914. Building permits for December already are 87 per cent larger than for the entire month of last year.

Tuesday's permits aggregated $55,000. Included in these was a $30,000 permit to J. G. Dodson for the construction of his new residence in Druid Hills; an alteration job, at $15,000, of the D. Greenfield estate, on its building at Forsyth and Hunter streets, known as the National Pencil factory, and a $10,000 permit to the Buckeye Cotton Oil mill for improvements on its plant at Ridge avenue and the Southern railway.

December's permits now stand $246,000, against $132,000 for the same month last year. The value of 1915 permits is now $4,578,843, as compared with $4,564,358 for last year.

Tobacco Habit Easily Conquered

A New Yorker of wide experience has written a book telling how the tobacco or snuff habit may be easily and completely banished in three days with delightful benefit. The author, Edward J. Woods, 185-G, Station E, New York City, will mail his book free on request.

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THIEF FLEES WHEN MRS. L. Z. GORDON CALLS FOR WEAPON

The presence of mind of Mrs. L. Z. Gordon enabling her to call for a gun as she suddenly faced a burglar yesterday afternoon saved her the loss of $600 worth of jewels which were beneath the intruder's hand at the time she walked upon him alone in her bedroom at 492 Courtland street. The man leaped through the window with a discarded purse, 25 cents and a flashlight.

As Mrs. Gordon entered her room the hall lamp gave sufficient light for her to discern a large man bending over the drawer which contained the family jewels and other things. She saw that he was young, well clothed but without hat or coat. Noticing that as he fumbled among the contents of the drawer, he had just placed his hand above her jewel box, Mrs. Gordon shouted to an imaginary person, "Bring me my gun."

The cook, who was at the servant house, heard the cry of Mrs. Gordon. The burglar, thinking evidently that there were others in the house, ran with his little loot, leaving Mrs. Gordon in a physical condition which demanded the attention of a physician.

PRIZE IS OFFERED FOR A NAME FOR NEW BUILDING

Peter Mion, who has leased the building being erected at the corner of Forsyth and Luckie streets by Hugh Richardson for a moving picture house, yesterday offered $25 in gold for the best name to give the new theater building.

Work on the building is well under way, the walls for the first floor having been completed.

JOHN THOMAS IS HELD FOR RAID ON DARKTOWN

John Thomas, a negro with but one arm, was held to the grand jury under bond of $500 and fined $50 and costs in police matinee Tuesday afternoon for having "shot up" Darktown with an old Swiss army rifle Sunday night.

The trial of Thomas was a sensational one in as much as it centered around the rifle, Thomas' efforts to kiss a baby, belonging to one Leroy Atkinson, also colored, and as the latter expressed it "droves of bullets, rocks and niggers."

According to Officers Wiley and Harker and Sergeants Bullard and Brown, interested in the case, Thomas had started at one end of the negro section known as Darktown Sunday night and before he had reached the other, almost every dusky denizen had either taken to the "tall timbers" or was safely ensconced behind bureaus, under beds and in other places out of range.

Atlanta Named as Headquarters For Southeastern Mule Market

After many months of experimenting Atlanta has been selected over many of the nation's most conspicuous commercial centers for the headquarters of the southwestern mule market for the allies.

Offices have been established in the Georgian Terrace hotel, where deals are made affecting the entire southwestern market and involving thousands of mules and millions of dollars. It is estimated that $3,000 will be spent in purchasing mules within the next month.

The offices are under the personal direction of Brigadier General C. H. Bridge and Captain L. F. Bridges, of the British commission to America. They established headquarters in Atlanta December 22 and will remain, it was stated by General Bridge, until the European war has come to a close or the southwestern mule market has been exhausted.

The Atlanta headquarters control activities ranging over Denver, Fort Worth, Kansas City, New Orleans, Newport News, St. Louis and all intervening territory. This city was selected after experimental headquarters had been established in Denver, Fort Worth, San Francisco and Sacramento.

"Atlanta is the logical shipping and executive center of the southwest insofar as our operations are concerned," said General Bridge yesterday afternoon. "None of our purchases, except those bought within the immediate vicinity of the city, are brought here, being carried from the buying point direct to New York, but all our dealings and our agents are controlled from this point. In Atlanta we have complete command of the territory, something we were unable to establish in any other of the centers."

DR. KUEHNEMANN WILL PRESENT GERMAN SIDE

Lecture at Cable Hall Tomorrow Night Will Be Interesting Event.

In order to give Atlantans an insight into the German side of this war, the local Teutonic societies have invited to the city Dr. Eugen Kuehnemann, professor of philosophy at the Imperial university, of Breslau, Germany, who will lecture Thursday night, December 30, in Cable hall, on "The Significance of the European War," in the English language.

Dr. Kuehnemann is a man of powerful personality and has a perfect command of English. His long experience as a teacher and his reputation as a thinker make it certain that this occasion will be highly interesting to all, regardless of sympathies in the European question.

As the first exchange professor to Harvard university in 1907, Dr. Kuehnemann so won the students of the American institution that they petitioned the University of Breslau and the management of the Roosevelt exchange arrangement to send him back another year. He was accordingly returned in 1909. When the Karl Schurz professorship was established at the University of Wisconsin, Dr. Kuehnemann was again asked to come to America to hold the chair in the second half of 1912. The University of Breslau hesitated a long time before letting so talented a professor absent himself again, but at last he was permitted to fill this mission.

At the outbreak of the present war, Dr. Kuehnemann came to America on his own account. He is very fond of America and American life, and has won thousands of friends among university circles. He is a man of unusual oratorical ability, whether speaking in German or English.

The organizations interested in this event are the Deutsche Gesellschaft, the German-American society, the Turn Verein and the Freundeschaftsbund. Victor H. Kriegshaber, president of the German society, will introduce the speaker.

POLLING PLACES ARE NAMED BY CITY CLERK

Final Plans Completed for Holding Recall Election. Ward Meetings.

Now that the registration books are closed and some 14,000 voters have registered, the city clerk has announced that he is ready for the recall election.

He has already secured the necessary polling places, and announces them as follows:

First Ward—49 South Forsyth street.

Second Ward—(a) Old city hall (Hunter street side); (b) 744 South Pryor street.

Third Ward—(a) Hunter and Fraser streets (Rex pharmacy); (b) South Boulevard and Fair streets (E. L. White's store).

Fourth Ward—Highland avenue and Boulevard (Thomas Grocery company).

Fifth Ward—(a) 748 Marietta street (West Side barber shop); (b) 249 Kennedy street.

Sixth Ward—(a) Grand opera house; (b) 6 Tabernacle place (rear of O. H. Starnes' store).

Seventh Ward—(a) Lee and Gordon streets (Medlock's pharmacy); (b) 640 Gordon street (Upchurch Grocery company).

Eighth Ward—(a) 822 Peachtree street (Richards & Smith's market); (b) 305 Hemphill avenue.

Ninth Ward—(a) Edgewood avenue, corner of Elizabeth street; (b) 26 Stovall street.

Tenth Ward—(a) 519 Lee street (F. J. Bomar Drug company); (b) 227 Stewart avenue.

Registrar Working on Lists.

A. P. Stewart, the city registrar, says that it will take three or four days to get the names on the registration lists straightened out, and it may be next Saturday before he can definitely state how many have been registered for the recall election. He believes the total number will be some—where in the neighborhood of 14,000.

"I have never witnessed such an eagerness to register," he says. "Why, one man came to my office and paid his back poll taxes for the past seventeen years, paying all the accrued costs and interest."

Mr. Stewart says the state of Georgia is richer by some $5,000, as that amount alone was paid in for poll tax by those having registered for the election.

The recall campaign committee announces the following ward headquarters, it being the intention, it is stated, to have headquarters in all of the ten wards:

First Ward—86 Madison avenue.
Fourth Ward—124 Highland avenue.
Seventh Ward—37½ Gordon street.
Tenth Ward—233 Stewart avenue.

Will Hold Ward Meetings.

The recall committee states that ward meetings will be held in all of the wards before the campaign ends. A meeting was held at the tenth ward headquarters last evening and talks were made by some of the local ward men who favor the recall movement.

Unless the anti-recall committee changes its present plan, there will be no ward meeting for that side.

A statement was circulated around the city hall Monday that if the six police commissioners to be voted upon January 5 are not recalled at the election, new petitions will be immediately circulated against them.

Marion M. Jackson has been quoted as saying that, speaking personally, "the issue would never be settled until it is settled right."

No such statement, however, has come from the recall campaign committee.

A typographical error in a letter published in The Constitution Tuesday morning from the recall headquarters made a preacher say that he had not signed the recall petitions. He did sign the petitions and stated that he would now redouble his efforts for the movement.

Will Be Staged on Council Floor.

That the recall faction will stage a fight on the floor of council next Monday when the new council for 1917 meets to organize seems now a certainty. An effort, it is understood, will be made by the recallers in council to postpone the organization until after the recall election so Mayor Woodward cannot appoint the standing committees until the voters have said whether or not he shall be recalled.

The vote will be close, is admitted, a check having it down 15 to 15, but anti-recallers claim that they have 16 of the thirty members of the new council.

Whether or not the adjournment can take place before the mayor pro tem. is elected remains to be settled when the city clerk calls the new council to order.



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NEGRO CAUGHT; LARGE QUANTITY OF WHISKY TAKEN

According to members of the city detective force, one of the most flourishing blind tigers ever captured in the city of Atlanta was placed behind the bars when they arrested Henry Boyd, alias Monk Boyd, a negro living at 76 Yonge street.

Detectives Hamby and Vickery raided Boyd's home several nights ago and took to police headquarters as evidence twenty-one barrels of liquor and various brands which had not been opened. Monday night a second raid was made and thirty unopened barrels were captured. Several cases of whisky were seized in addition to the barrels. Boyd will be tried Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

ATLANTA'S STRIDES FROM DAY TO DAY

Activity in the lease market featured real estate on Tuesday, there being three Peachtree street leases, all of which were north of Baker street.

Turman & Calhoun leased for Victor H. Smith to Ludwig & Morton, agents for Hollier Eight motor cars and Mack trucks, a two-story and basement building that is now being erected at No. 330 Peachtree street. The lease is for a term of years. The building is on the west side of the street, south of Porter place, and is a part of the subdivision of the Porter home place.

This agency also leased to the Southern Oakland Motor Car company the building at No. 455 Peachtree street. This building was originally leased for A. F. Jones, of Macon, to the Velie Motor company, and then sub-leased for that company to the Hubbell & Oakes Motor Car company. Tuesday's lease was in the nature of a sub-lease of the Hubbell & Oakes company.

Turman & Calhoun leased for the Hubbell & Oakes company half of the two-story and basement building of Dr. J. W. Roberts at No. 457 Peachtree street, containing floor space of 13,500 square feet, which was formerly occupied by the Johnson Motor Car company.

Auto Parking Space.

Forrest & George Adair leased to J. S. Boyd and M. M. Smythe the large vacant lot, about 100x250, which lies just north of the Grand opera house. This is the site of the old skating rink, and is entered by way of Ivy street or the alley to the Grand opera house.

The lessees plan to level the lot and rent parking space for automobiles.

Building Now Ahead.

With the issuance of several substantial building permits on Tuesday, the year's building deficit of $26,000 was made up and a gain of about $15,000 registered over the entire building for last year.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Warranty Deeds.

$1,675—George A. Clayton to Georgia Savings Bank and Trust company, lot northeast corner Oakland avenue and a ten-foot alley (which alley is 190 feet north of Augusta avenue), 32x85 feet. December 17, 1915.

$1,091—Mrs. Mamie D. McDonald to Arthur W. Williamson, lot east side Electric avenue, 163 feet north of Rhodes street, 25x100 feet. December 20, 1915.

$1,040—W. R. Pinkley to Mamie D. McDonald, same property. August 4, 1914.

Love and affection for daughter—Mary Fannie Francis to Maud F. Dowman, lot on First street, 200 feet north of George street, 50x140 feet. December 23, 1915.

$50—Atlanta Cemetery association to M. W. Maffett, lot 178, block 5, Atlanta Park cemetery. April 18, 1914.

$875—Robert Troutman to Robin Adair, No. 195 Davis street, 34x78 feet. October 26, 1915.

$100—T. B. Finney to Dinkins-Davidson Hardware company, lot south side Ormond street, 40 feet east of Rawlins avenue, 40x125 feet. December 15, 1915.

$3,000—Mrs. Jennie B. Kelly to Dr. R. F. Ingram, No. 354 Formwalt street, 49x159 feet. December 8, 1915.

$2,000—Kenneth M. Trowbridge to S. I. Marett, lot at intersection of west side Copenhill avenue with southern side Madeira avenue, 58x160 feet. December 24, 1915.

$4,000—Farmers and Traders' bank to R. W. Holcombe, lot southeast corner Lucile avenue and Culberson street, 52x175 feet. December 20, 1915.

$6,800—Estate of Wesley G. Collier (by executors) to Peachtree Heights Park company, lot north side Wesley avenue, 220 feet west of Serpentine drive, 710x278 feet. December 23, 1915.

$750—R. H. Shields to H. G. Almand, lot west side Grand View avenue, 350 feet north of Peachtree avenue, 50x193 feet. December 18, 1915.

$600 and other consideration—Lacy T. Black to J. N. McEachern and S. A. Wardlaw, lot southwest corner Ashby and Simpson streets, 140x120 feet. December 22, 1915.

$10 and exchange of property—Edward Jones to Charles F. Jones, No. 549 Crew street, 100x190 feet. August 11, 1915.

$3,250—E. A. Bancker, Jr., to J. H. Whisenant, lot south side Rosalia street, 200 feet east of Waldo street, 40x195 feet. December 23, 1915.

$1,400—Walton Realty company to J. P. Evans, lot north side Lucile avenue, 240 feet west of Hopkins street, 48x150 feet. December 23, 1915.

$131—West View Cemetery association to M. A. Malone, lot 71, section 13. December 8, 1915.

Loan Deeds.

$1,500—F. D. McMillan to Mrs. Hettie Moore, lot northwest corner Ponce de Leon avenue and Ponce de Leon place, 85x190x 21x230. December 27, 1915.

$1,00—Charles F. Jones to Mrs. Roberta G. Waller, 549 Crew street, 50x190. December 22, 1915.

$2,000—J. F. Evans to Edward May, lot north side Lucile avenue, 240 feet west of Hopkins street, 48x150. December 23, 1915.

$119—W. C. Davis to R. E. Powell, lot on west side land lot 203, at northwest corner of Charles D. Warlick property. December 27, 1915.

$5,000—George W. Forrester to Atlanta Savings bank, 1089 Peachtree street, 60x340. December 9, 1915.

$100—Jesse M. Bohler to Mrs. Margaret L. Farrar, lot southeast corner Mayson and Turner's Ferry road and Grand avenue, 291x150. December 22, 1915.

$3,000—J. N. McEachern and S. A. Wardlaw to Charles A. Withers, lot southwest corner Ashby and Simpson streets, 120x140. December 24, 1915.

$6,000—Mrs. Bertha W. Cohen to Dickinson Trust company, half interest in Nos. 41 and 43 Peachtree street, 43x140. December 24, 1915.

$2,000—Augusta S. Graham to same, 25 West Peachtree place, 42x120. December 27, 1915.

$10,500—Charles E. Murphey to Penn Mutual Life Insurance company, lot south side East Pine street, 150 feet east of Bedford place, 50x150, lot north side Decatur street, 50 feet east of Fitzgerald street, 80x105; lot south side Todd street, 100 feet west of Boulevard, 50x152. December 23, 1915.

$2,250—William A. Fuller to same, lot south side Ninth street, 100 feet east of east line of Ashford et al. property, 50x160. December 23, 1915.

Bonds for Title.

$17,000—Peachtree Heights Park company to Mrs. Una Rivers, lot north side Wesley avenue, 20 feet west of Serpentine drive, 710x278. December 23, 1915.

$5,400—Same to D. O. Martin, lot east side Rivers road, 761 feet south from Rivers road, 539x101. October 18, 1915.

$1,000—George Ware and W. J. Harper to Charles M. Clayton, lot south side Palmetto avenue, 150 feet west of Abbott street, 50x100. May 3, 1915.

Mortgage.

$1,000—W. W. Wadsworth to American Savings and Investment company, 75 Park avenue, 100x200. December 24, 1915.

$23—Z. K. Gowen to D. G. Head, lot between Murray and Crogman streets, 42 Thayer avenue, 50x150. December 23, 1915.

$600—Young H. Fraser to Preachers' Aid Society North Georgia conference, 89 Wabash avenue, 50x135. December 10, 1915.

$360—Mrs. Ophelia Shindlebower to Georgia Savings Bank and Trust company, 18 Pearce avenue, 52x150. December 22, 1915.

$390—Arthur W. Williamson to same, lot east side Electric avenue, 163 feet north of Rhodes street, 25x100. December 21, 1915.

$916—Mrs. Juniper W. Brown to Colonial Trust company, 185 Plum street, 50x165. December 21, 1915.

Quit-Claim Deeds.

$1 and other consideration—Mrs. Lottie H. Estes to R. W. Holcombe, lot southeast corner Lucile avenue and Culberson street, 52x175 feet. December 20, 1915.

$1 and other consideration—W. P. Hunt to same, same property. December 20, 1915.

$1,620—David Woodward to Peachtree Heights Park company, lot east side Rivers road, 761 feet south of Muskogee avenue, 539x570 feet. October 18, 1915.

$1—Central Bank and Trust corporation to J. N. McEachern and S. A. Wardlaw, lot southwest corner Ashley and Simpson streets, 120x140 feet. December 22, 1915.

$51—Pine Mountain Granite company to W. H. Owen, lot east side Waldo street, between Killian and Berne streets, 86x47 feet. December 24, 1915.

Executor's Deed.

$2,210—Estate A. J. Jones (by executor) to M. W. Moffett, lot west side Oak Hill avenue, 267 feet north of Pearce street, 53x158 feet. May 12, 1915.

Sheriff's Deed.

$100—Mrs. Levina E. and S. H. Cobb (by sheriff) to Mrs. Mary B. Armstead, lot west side Stewart avenue at northeast corner of Mrs. Janie Ball in Hapeville, land lot 98, Fourteenth district, 100x300 feet. December 7, 1915.

Commissioner's Deed.

$100—James L. Logan, commissioner, to George W. Davis, lot north side Forrest avenue, 97 feet east of Main street, land lot 253, seventeenth district, 97x200 feet. October 18, 1915.

Lease.

Atlanta Terminal company to U. S. A. (by Albert S. Burleson, postmaster general), one room on first floor of Atlanta Terminal station (adjoining space occupied for a terminal railway postoffice) to be used as a terminal railway postoffice for four years four months and ten days from August 6, 1915, for $3,250 per year. October 30, 1915.

Building Permits.

$15,000—Greenfield estate, Forsyth and Hunter streets, alterations. Mackle Construction company, contractors.

$10,000—Buckeye Cotton Oil company, Ridge avenue and Southern railway, erect building. Griffin Construction company, contractors.

$358—City of Atlanta, Courtland and Gilmer streets, fire escape. Mion Bros., contractors.

$600—D. A. R., Peachtree street and Peachtree circle, drinking fount. E. G. Goram, builder.

$30,000—J. G. Godson, North Ponce de Leon avenue, two-story brick veneer dwelling. W. T. Downing, architect; W. P. Francis, contractor.

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A special communication of Capital City lodge, No. 643, F. & A. M., will be held this (Wednesday) evening, December 29, 1915, at the hall, 423½ Marietta street at 7:30 o'clock. Public installation of the officers for the ensuing year, and other things that may come under the dispensation. All duly qualified brethren cordially invited to meet with us.

By order of: ED MINCEY, W. M.
Attest:
W. N. MARTIN, Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

MATTHEWS—The friends of Mrs. Virginia Matthews, Messrs. G. E., E. H., R. F. and L. D. Matthews, Mrs. C. H. Jones, Knoxville, Tenn.; Misses Mamie and Willette Matthews, Mrs. Serah Slaughter, Grantville, Ga.; Mrs. Blake Lambert, Grantville, Ga.; Mrs. J. Walton, Douglasville, Ga.; Mrs. Urch Talley, Waco, Ga.; Mr. John Barrow, Lone Oak, Ga.; Mr. William Barrow, Austell, Ga., and Mr. Henry Barrow, Douglasville, Ga., are invited to attend the funeral of Mrs. Virginia Matthews at Clem, Ga., at 1 o'clock this afternoon. The following gentlemen will serve as pallbearers: Mr. J. H. Jones, Mr. G. W. Davenport, Mr. D. W. Maynard, Mr. J. J. Holloway, Mr. Lazarus Holloway and Mr. John W. Driver. Funeral party will leave Atlanta over A. & W. P. railroad at 9 a. m. today. Send flowers in care of Harry G. Poole.

GRAHAM—The friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Graham, Mrs. H. Graham, Wade and Kenneth Graham, of Mobile, Ala.; Miss Margaret Graham, of San Antonio, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Boardman, of Pearlington, Miss., are invited to attend the funeral of Mr. E. W. Graham this morning at 10 o'clock from Greenberg & Bond Co.'s chapel, 35 Houston street. Interment at Greenwood. Rev. H. D. Pace will officiate. The following gentlemen are requested to act as pallbearers and meet at the chapel at 9:30: Mr. J. O. Hall, Mr. O. J. Parker, Mr. J. M. Fuller, Mr. W. D. Benson, Mr. L. S. Bethea and Mr. E. J. Setz.

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